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TO GIVE NEW COURSE

PROF. RICHARDSON WILL HAVE DEPARTMENT AT SUMMER TERM.

FITS FOR LEADERSHIP

"Administration of Education" an Elective for the Senior or Graduate Course Will Attract Many.

Among the courses to be offered during the summer term of the Normal, that in administration of education by Mr. Richardson, director of the department of education and training, will be one of the most effective. The prospect of its being given is already attracting inquiry from superintendents and principals all over the district.

This course will be a senior elective or graduate course, open to advanced students, principals, superintendents, college graduates and others whose experience and preparation will enable them to profit by it. It will consider the vital problems of administration of education general and specific; national, state and local forms of maintenance and control; the teaching force and its improvement in service; the course of study and the supervision of instruction; problems of retardation and promotion; reports and records; medical inspection and the newer school activities in their relation to the community endeavor; school buildings, their planning, construction, heating, lighting and equipment; concrete problems of rural organization, such as equalizing support, centralization, transportation, industrial clubs, efficient instruction and supervision.

The experience of Mr. Richardson as superintendent of schools and as instructor of public administration and his special preparation in this field will serve to make this a very attractive course for those who are to occupy position of leadership. Mr. Richardson will also probably give a series of lectures on school hygiene and sanitation during the summer session.

Attending District Meeting.

Mrs. W. B. Christy, Miss Mary Q. Evans, Mrs. Preston Seafers, Mrs. M. M. Rittenour went to Hopkins Tuesday noon to attend the district meeting of the W. F. M. S. of the Maryville district M. E. conference. They were accompanied by Miss Fannie Perkins of Thamdaung, Burmah, who is visiting her home at Osceola, Ia., on leave of absence from her work as a foreign missionary. Miss Perkins addressed the members of the M. E. church congregation Sunday morning at the Easter service, and held the attention of her audience better than any speaker from a foreign field that has appeared in that pulpit. She is in charge of the industrial farm for boys and girls at Thamdaung. Mrs. A. E. Anderson of Tarkio and Mrs. T. A. Corken of Burlington Junction accompanied the Maryville delegates to Hopkins for the meeting.

Made Good Grades.

In a recent examination held at the postoffice here for mailing clerks, Eldon Irvin made a perfect score and Ernest Welborn made 99.90 per cent. Mr. Irvin threw 988 cards in thirty-four minutes, or twenty-nine cards a minute, which is considered a very good record. Mr. Welborn threw 988 cards, and one of these was incorrect. It is necessary for mailing clerks to take these examinations once a year.

Mrs. J. B. McGinniss of East Fifth street went to Pickering Tuesday to visit the family of Charles Chenoweth.

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CLUB OR LODGE

Can't Sell Liquor in County That Has Voted Out Saloon.

The Kansas City court of appeals has decided that it is against the law for a club or a lodge to sell liquor in a county that had voted out saloons. The judges held that a club might sell liquor in a county where saloons were licensed. The opinion of the appellate court will stop the practice of evading the local option law by resorting to the subterfuge of selling liquor in chartered clubs. The decision was rendered in an appeal from the district court in Chariton county, Missouri. Stanley E. Robinson, steward of the Clover Leaf lodge at Sumner, was convicted of violating the law by selling liquor in the club to members. His conviction was confirmed by the Kansas City court of appeals.

TO MEET AT MARYVILLE.

Maryville District Epworth League Convention Here May 31, June 1 and 2.

The Maryville district Epworth League meeting will be held at Maryville, at the First M. E. church, on May 31, June 1 and 2. The district is composed of the Epworth Leagues in Nodaway, Atchison, Worth, Gentry, the north half of Andrew county, and the north half of Holt county. The program will be announced soon.

Have Very Little Judgment.

Some people seem to be obliged to talk mean of others. That seems to be their only subject on which to spend an hour in neighborly conversation. Soon you will hear what they said and naturally you get as mad as a hornet, unless you are an angel. Since that is seldom the case, we would advise you to be wise and cool off. Remember that gossipers have very little judgment and common sense.—Parnell Sentinel.

President Taylor Returned.

President H. K. Taylor of the Normal returned Tuesday noon from a week's business trip in the Normal district. He addressed the public schools of Excelsior Springs Monday. Mrs. Taylor and Miss Emma Lee Taylor, who have been at the springs for two weeks, accompanied President Taylor as far as St. Joseph and will visit there with Mrs. Taylor's sister, Mrs. L. C. Gabbert, until Thursday evening.

Organized a Ball Team.

Russell Robey has organized a base ball team composed of young boys, and they are to play their first game Thursday afternoon after school, when four players will oppose them. Russell Robey is captain and manager of the team and the following are the players he has selected: Paul Robey, Lorace Landfather, Will Smith, Dan Everhart, Harry Jones, Leonard Gray, Wesley Hagins and Carl Youell.

Walked to Conception Junction.

Charles Allen, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Allen, and Edward Condon, son of Mrs. B. E. Condon, walked to Conception Junction Sunday afternoon, leaving here about 3:30 o'clock. They walked the Wabash track to the Junction, and had to run a mile or so to catch the evening Wabash train home. They arrived at that town at 6:29 o'clock. The distance by rail is sixteen miles.

Saw Marlowe in Omaha.

Miss Dora Carpenter returned Sunday night from Omaha, where she went Saturday morning to attend the Saturday afternoon performance of "Romeo and Juliet" by Marlowe and Sothern. Miss Carpenter was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Ray L. Edwards, while in that city.

Accompanied Their Husbands.

Mrs. Charles D. Caldwell, Mrs. O. F. Wilson and Mrs. Frank Compton of Burlington Junction spent Tuesday in Maryville. The ladies accompanied their husbands, who were in the city for the Andrews-Caldwell cattle sale.

Ice to Be Cheaper.

William Everhart, a local dealer in ice, announced Tuesday that ice would be cheaper this summer than last. He will sell it at 35 cents a hundred pounds, while last year it was 50 cents a hundred.

Has a Tennis Court.

The Agoga class of young men of the Baptist church Sunday school has organized a tennis club and are preparing the court on the old Normal grounds.

Latest post cards, 1 cent each at Crane's.

FILING TIME NOW

CANDIDATES FOR COUNTY OFFICES FILING WITH COUNTY CLERK

TWO LIVELY RACES ON

Four Candidates Each for Sheriff and Treasurer—Not Many Seeking Honors in Other Places.

The time is at hand for candidates for county offices to file their declaration as such with the county clerk. Candidates for county positions are required to pay a fee of $5 to the treasurer of the county committee of the party on whose ticket they wish to run, in addition to filing a declaration with the county clerk, stating his residence, the office to which he aspires and the political party at whose hands he is asking the nomination. These candidates must file their declaration at least sixty days before the first Tuesday in August.

Only one candidate has filed his declaration with County Clerk George W. Demott, that being Jesse B. Joy of Elmo for county treasurer. Others will probably file within the near future.

The county officers to be elected at the November election are: Representative, treasurer, sheriff, prosecuting attorney, surveyor, judge from the north district, judge from the south district, and coroner.

William Gex of Hughes township is the only one mentioned on the Democratic ticket for representative to succeed Anderson Craig, who is a candidate for state senator from this district.

The race for sheriff and treasurer promise to be lively. So far there are four candidates mentioned for each place on the Democratic ticket. For sheriff, Ed Wallace of Atchison township, Dudley Rice of Hughes, Sherman Heflin of White Cloud and Luke Colvin of Maryville are aspiring to that office. For county treasurer, Sam Williams is seeking re-election, and other candidates will be Jesse B. Joy, H. H. McClurg and Amos Sprecher.

George Pat Wright is a candidate for re-election and will have no opposition for prosecuting attorney. He has made a good officer, as is well shown by his record.

Joseph E. Reese, county highway engineer, will be a candidate for county surveyor, and will have no opposition for the nomination.

Judge Wm. Blackford will be a candidate for judge of the county court from the north district. It is rumored that Judge J. O. Thompson of Guilford will not seek re-election this fall. Sam Hayworth of White Cloud, formerly a member of the county court, is being mentioned.

For coroner no one is being mentioned at this time.

As this is to be Democratic year, a large number will be candidates for the various county offices.

The primary election is to be held on the first Tuesday in August.

Has a New Granddaughter.

Mrs. M. C. Baublitts returned Tuesday noon from Kansas City, where she had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. A. Younke. Mr. and Mrs. Younke have a little new daughter, whom they have named Elizabeth. Mrs. Younke, who was Mrs. Charles I. Pixler of Maryville, is now the mother of five little girls, the four older of whom are Marie, Mabel, Charlene and Adaline Pixler. Adaline is coming soon to make an extended visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Baublitts.

Egg Social at Business College.

An egg social is to be given at the Business college this evening for the benefit of the senior class. The following is the program that will be given:

Piano solo.....Hilda Lahr
Vocal duet..Anna Collins, Ada Clayton
Reading.....C. D. White
Vocal solo.....May Clark Denny
Trombone solo.....Irvil Stafford
Vocal solo.....Bertha Kirch
Class paper.....Ernest Yeaman
Vocal solo.....Hilda Denny
Games.....Everybody

A luncheon will be served after the program, which will cost 8 cents being an eight item lunch.

Mrs. Charles Gaugh and children, William and Lucile, went to Kansas City Monday evening to visit her four sisters and their families, and will also visit other relatives and friends in Excelsior Springs and St. Joseph before their return.

BETTER THAN EVER

TRACK MEET TO ECLIPSE ALL PREVIOUS MEETS.

INQUIRIES ARE COMING IN

Much Interest Being Taken Over the Normal District—All High Schools Eligible to Compete.

The prospects for the oratorical contest and track meet to be held in Maryville on Friday and Saturday, April 26 and 27, promises to eclipse any yet given under the auspices of the Normal school. All of the high schools in this Normal district are eligible to take part in these contests.

Many inquiries are being received daily by President H. K. Taylor of the school in regard to the meet and contest, and much interest seems to be taken among the high schools over the district. In a letter received from Superintendent J. R. Hale of the Ridgeway, Mo., schools, a large number of entries were enclosed for both the meet and contest. Mr. Hale was formerly teacher of Latin in the Normal school here. Other schools are also sending in their entries.

The track meet and oratorical contest is one of the biggest events given in Maryville. High school students from all over the district are in attendance and a lively time is always had.

WAN AN ENJOYABLE CONCERT.

One Given by the Maryville Band at the Empire Theater Fairly Well Attended.

The concert given Monday evening by the Maryville band, under L. V. Lawler as director, was a good one and was enjoyed by the fair sized crowd present. The band received a number of encores after each number. A cornet solo was given by E. J. Schumacher.

RURAL EXAMINATIONS

Of Seventh and Eighth Grade Pupils to Be Held Friday and Saturday.

The rural examinations of seventh and eighth grade pupils will be held Friday and Saturday of this week over the county. Several scholarships are offered to those making the highest grades.

Broke Her Shoulder.

Mrs. A. T. Stephenson fell on the floor of her sitting room Sunday and broke one of her shoulders. She is getting along as well as could be expected of one of her years.

Announce Son's Birth.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Baker, who live on the Herren form, east of Maryville, announce the birth of a son to them on Saturday morning.

Bought Out Glover's Shop.

Baker & Wagner recently purchased the blacksmith shop of J. T. Glover, and are now ready for business. They have a number of new tools.

Was Guest Over Easter.

Miss Arminta Sargent of Kansas City returned to her home Monday evening from an Easter visit with Miss Esther Shoemaker.

Left for Colorado.

Mrs. Elma Trueblood and children, Mildred and Verlin, left for La Junta, Col., Monday evening to make their home.

Mrs. J. A. McGuire and daughter, Alice, returned to their home in Guilford Tuesday from a visit with her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Baker, who live on the Herren farm.

Misses Jennie and Lou Garrett and Miss Frances Miller went to Kansas City Tuesday morning to visit until Thursday evening at the home of Dr. and Mrs. I. N. Goodson.

Mrs. A. C. Parsons of King City was the guest Monday and Tuesday of Mrs. Thomas Workman. Mrs. Parsons returned home Tuesday, accompanied by John Workman.

Dr. Grace Phelps and little daughter returned Tuesday morning from an Easter visit with her husband, Dr. Charles C. Phelps, at Sheridan.

Miss Ruth O'Malley, who has been the Easter guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Sanders since Friday, returned to her home in Albany Tuesday.

MRS. MESSICK DIED.

Mother of Mrs. George B. McMurray—Funeral Thursday Morning.

Mrs. Dudley Messick of Bolckow, mother of Mrs. George B. McMurray of southwest of Maryville, died Monday afternoon at 4:20 o'clock, after a long illness of heart trouble.

Mrs. McMurray has been at her mother's bedside for several days.

The funeral services will be held at the Christian church in Bolckow Thursday morning at 10 o'clock, conducted by Rev. W. A. Chapman, assisted by Rev. A. R. Hunt and Dr. J. T. Hanna.

Margaret Jane (Muir) Messick was born October 9, 1842, near Muncie, Ind., in Delaware county. Married to Mr. Dudley Messick July 30, 1861. She was baptized into the Presbyterian church in infancy. In 1901 became a member of the Christian church and lived every day what the word Christian implies.

She is survived by her husband and five children, who are Perry Morton Messick, Robert Emmett Messick and Edwin Messick, who live on farms west of Bolckow; Mrs. Loula Agnes Roberts of Beatrice, Neb., and Mrs. Nora Ellen McMurray, five miles southwest of Maryville. Also Miss Odessa Hunter, who has made her home with Mr. and Mrs. Messick since 1909, and has been as a daughter to them.

Mr. Messick is 79 years old. He came to Andrew county in 1850 and settled on a farm seven miles west of Bolckow, where he lived until 1899, when he moved to Bolckow.

CONSTRUCTION MAN HERE.

L. O. Gobel of Washington to Superintend for Government the Work on Postoffice.

L. O. Gobel of Washington, D. C., arrived in the city Monday night and will be here until the new postoffice building is completed. He is the government superintendent of construction of public buildings.

F. D. Frenz, who is foreman and in charge of the work of the building, has all arrangements completed and work will start soon on the excavation. The size of the proposed building has been staked off. Mr. Frenz is working for W. D. Lovell & Co., of Minneapolis, who have the contract for the building.

CATTLE SALE TODAY.

Many Stock Men Here for the Andrews-Caldwell Sale of Aberdeen-Angus Cattle.

The Andrews-Caldwell sale of Aberdeen-Angus cattle was held this afternoon at Pierpoint's sale pavilion, and many prominent stock men from all over the country were present. The two breeders, W. W. Andrews of Maryville and C. D. and E. F. Caldwell of Burlington, who have entered into this joint public sale offering, are among the foremost in their line of activity in this part of the country. Both have assembled herds of Angus cattle, which are really of superior quality. They sold this afternoon thirty-three females and eleven bulls.

HOUSTON GAVE BOND.

Was Released From Jail Monday—Is to Return All Goods Stolen From Deschauer.

C. M. Houston, who was arrested last week on a charge of grand larceny, gave bond for $1,000 Monday, with J. B. Robinson as surety. He was released from the jail, and it is said that he will return all watches and diamonds that he has taken from R. Deschauer, where he worked, many of these articles being in pawn shops.

His case is to come up at the June term of circuit court.

Miss Gertrude Haudenschield returned to her studies at Baker university, in Baldwin, Kan., Tuesday morning from her Easter visit with Miss Ethel Embree.

Mrs. J. W. Houghtaling of Bolckow came to Maryville Saturday and visited over Easter Sunday with Mrs. C. H. John. Mrs. John is very much improved in health.

Mrs. H. A. Hoyt of Quitman was in Maryville Tuesday morning on her way to Rosendale to visit her daughter, Mrs. George Rains, and her son, Bert Hoyt.

Mrs. C. D. Bellows and her sister, Miss Nellie Douglas, went to St. Joseph Tuesday morning to spend the day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Patterson of Savannah were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harley Teaford over Easter.

CUTS OFF 42 MILES

NODAWAY DITCH STRAIGHTENS OUT THE CURVES.

SAVED FARMS FROM FLOOD

Only Overflow Was in Low Places and the Ditch When Finished Will Stop It Even There.

County Highway Engineer Reese was at Clearmont Monday, looking after a bridge that needs repairing. While there he went down to the Nodaway drainage ditch, west of Clearmont, to see the work that had been done on it.

Mr. Reese says that the work on this ditch is progressing nicely and all of the people seem to be well satisfied with the results. The ditch starts at a point about four miles north of Clearmont, and is to go eighteen miles to Quitman. It will shorten the Nodaway river from sixty to eighteen miles.

Mr. Reese said: "They have dug the ditch to about half way between Burlington Junction and Clearmont, making about seven miles that the ditch is open. It will be a matter of only a short time when the old river bed will fill up and the drainage ditch will be the river. The ditch is a good thing at this time, on account of the high condition of the Nodaway, and the farmers report that the water is overflowing from the river only in the low places, when formerly it used to overflow all that district."

Bought Interest in Conservatory.

Miss Sarah McMaster of Hopkins came to Maryville Monday evening to take post-graduate work at the Maryville Conservatory, of which she is a graduate. Miss McMaster has bought an interest in the Conservatory and will become a member of the faculty some time in the future.

Visiting Aged Mother.

Mrs. Kittie Wallace Young of Kansas City and her sister, Mrs. Anna Ramsay of Omaha, arrived in Maryville Sunday night to visit their aged and invalid mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Wallace, at the home of their sister, Mrs. Emma Cloud, South Vine street.

Broke His Arm.

J. W. Ardery of St. Joseph, who is well known in Maryville, fell Saturday evening in that city and broke his arm. He is getting along nicely at this writing. Mr. Ardery is an uncle of R. G. Sanders.

On Camping Trip.

Mrs. M. L. Beattie will go to Clarinda Tuesday to meet Mr. Beattie, and join a camping party of Clarinda friends for a week's duck hunt in the region of a lake near that place.

Spent Easter Here.

Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Wray of Pickering returned home Tuesday noon from an Easter visit with their son, Vern Wray, and family, and Mrs. Wray's brother, H. T. Crane, and Mrs. Crane.

Sung a Number of Songs.

The Normal quartet gave a number of selections at chapel at that school Thursday morning, before their departure on a week's concert tour.

Purchased Interest in Restaurant.

Fred Smith has bought the interest of Henry Neal in the Seiler & Neal restaurant, on North Main street. He took possession Tuesday.

Moving to Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Talkington left Tuesday for Ellston, Ia., where they will locate and conduct a restaurant and meat market.

THE WEATHER

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WILL MR. ROOSEVELT BOLT?

Already the list of contesting delegates, opposed to Mr. Taft, for the Chicago convention suggest the membership of a large bolters' convention.

The success of any Roosevelt delegates is hailed by the anti-Taft leaders as triumph of righteousness. But practically every gain made for the Taft list is denounced as the result of fraud, corruption and administration pressure.

Indeed, the Roosevelt men have adopted the fraud cry against their opponents with so much unanimity as to pave the way for any sort of action looking to the defeat of the Taft cause—in the election, if impossible in the convention.

The country is informed by the Roosevelt leaders that the colonel's defeat in North Dakota was accomplished by Democrats. In Indiana, we are told, rank fraud was practiced. In New York, it is asserted, defeat was accomplished by diabolical methods.

To what possibilities all these things point is a matter for interesting speculation. Mr. Roosevelt denies that he has said anything to be construed as purpose to bolt. But, what may he not do if "great popular pressure" shall have such influence on his actions as was the case in connection with his "recall" of his pledge not to be a candidate for a third term?—Chicago Journal.

GRASSHOPPERS IN NODAWAY.

The First of the Pests Make Their Appearance Near Graham.

The seventeen-year locust, or as the average Missourian familiarly calls it, the grasshopper, is already here.

Nodaway has always been and always will be one of the most progressive, enterprising and up-to-date counties in the great galaxy which makes up the 114 counties which adorn the crown of the Kansas governor of Missouri. It is first in everything—its ladies, its men, its corn, its live stock, and first in payment of taxes. Now it is foremost again.

Allen McNeal, a prosperous farmer who resides six miles southeast of Graham, in that county, on Tuesday of last week brought to the Citizens bank of Graham a box full—not of gold, silver or currency—but of young, healthy, live and kicking grasshoppers which he had harvested in his front door yard that forenoon. The pie biters were about an inch long and acted as if they possessed all of the appetite that a full fledged old fellow hopper should have.

"There are just thousands upon thousands of these young pests," said Mr. McNeal. "Why the little wretches are so thick that you cannot step without crushing the life out of a flock of them. On the south side of my front yard fence, where the sun strikes full, the snow has melted and here they are coming out of the ground as if they wanted to take possession. On the north side the snow bank is four feet high and the little pests seem to enjoy looking at the white pile. It seems funny to think that as cold as it is they do not freeze, but so far I have not discovered this to be a fact."

Other farmers report a like condition and there is considerable uneasiness as to what the Kansas pests will do this season. Last year they did considerable damage in Nodaway, Holt and Atchison counties.—St. Joseph Observer.

Do not worry, eat three square meals a day, say your prayers, be courteous to your creditors, keep your digestion good, steer clear of biliousness, exercise, go slow and go easy. Maybe there are other things that your special case requires to make you happy, but, my friend, these, I reckon, will give you a good lift.—Abraham Lincoln.

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

O. D. O. Bridge Club Thursday.

Mrs. C. C. Hellmers will entertain the O. D. O. Bridge club Thursday afternoon.

Meet With Mrs. Ford.

The Woman's Missionary society of the First Presbyterian church will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. A. Ford.

Entertainment Postponed.

The Mothers' Circle announces a postponement of their entertainment from the coming Thursday night until Tuesday night of next week.

Entertained Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Hall entertained Easter Sunday at dinner Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Trullinger, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Willhoyte, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. White, Mr. and Mrs. William Job, Mr. and Mrs. John C. White, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Knabb, Misses Okie Huff, Clydell White, Leora Willhoyte and Wilma Hall, Messrs. Will Job, Wilford White, Eldon Job.

Golden Wedding Celebration.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Wade of this city celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at their home, on South Hester street, Sunday, all their children being with them but one, George Wade of Excelsior Springs. It was a perfect Easter day, the first one we have had in a long time, and it seemed that the day had been made on purpose to add its golden glory to the golden memories of the anniversary. The children arrived in the city Saturday night and Sunday morning, according to the word they had sent their parents two days before, as a surprise for them, and on Sunday morning the entire family attended services at the First Presbyterian church, where all had been attendants in years gone by. Upon their return an elaborate seven-course dinner was served by Mrs. Mary Hardin, which was also prepared by her. A color scheme of white and gold was carried out in the decorations. White and gold ribbon streamers hung from the electrolier and were held in place at the four corners of the table by white and yellow roses, while Easter lilies in a golden pot made an attractive center. The company lingered long at the table for music on the victrola, "Put on Your Old Gray Bonnet," being one number, and the giving of toasts by the sons and daughters interspersed the feast. No one in particular was the toastmaster and there were no set speeches, but each arose and gave a toast whenever the spirit moved him, no matter how many times, and it is doubtful if a happier time has occurred in our city on a like occasion.

The toasts brought out some interesting facts and called for explanations to the guests outside of the family by the bride and groom, especially when the youngest son toasted his father "because he got the best horse that could be found in West Virginia and "took" mother over into Pennslyvania from West Virginia as fast as he could travel and married her." This little toast had to be explained, of course, the bride modestly saying that her father wished her to marry a wealthy cattle man, but the good-looking young harness maker suited her so much better that she would not even consider the cattleman, though he might have them on a thousand hills. So on a Sunday morning, April 6, 1862, like the sunny Easter day just gone, she dressed with unusual care and attended Sunday school and church, as was her custom. She wore a dark brown wool challie gown, thickly figured with variegated flowers, and a pretty poke bonnet of white horse hair braid, trimmed with white ribbon and red roses. The waist and sleeves of the dress were very tight fitting. The skirt had many straight widths plainly gathered on to the waist and was worn over an immense rattan hoopskirt. She carried away some quilts and other articles of bedding she had made, under the hoopskirt, having taken other articles of housekeeping to the house of a girl friend for safe keeping until she should need them. After church services Mr. and Mrs. Wade mounted their horses, and accompanied by six other young couples, started off for a short ride, presumably. It was only three miles from their home in Cassville to the Pennsylvania line. That point gained, all started on a good run to Taylortown, Pa., nine miles farther on, where they were married by Justice Ben Howard. The wedding party returned to Cassville after the ceremony, and the bride and groom went to housekeeping in two rooms that were ready for them. Mrs. Wade's father forgave her after three weeks and she received his blessing, for it was the first time she had disobeyed him.

Other toasts by the children brought out other humorous instances, and also gave abundant evidence of appreciation on the part of the children for the love and care and reproof they had received in the years at the parental home, and a generous purse of gold was given them, Charles Wade eloquently presenting the gift.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade showed that they enjoyed every minute of the day, and one could not easily believe that their life together had spanned fifty years.

After dinner two granddaughters, Mrs. Everett Dillon of Kansas City and Miss Florence Tribley of Cameron, sang "Fifty Years Ago," with violin accompaniment by Mr. Dillon. Several readings were given by Miss Tribley, who is quite an accomplished reader, and violin numbers proved the artistic skill of Mr. Dillon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade's children and grandchildren present were: Mr. and Mrs. John Wade and their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Dillon of Kansas City, Kan.; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wade of Fairfield, Ia.; Mrs. J. J. Tribley and daughter, Miss Florence Tribley, of Cameron, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Bert Wade of Brookfield, Mo., and their little daughter, Virginia, who celebrated her sixth birthday anniversary on the golden wedding anniversary of her grandparents; Mr. Ross Wade of Kansas City, Mo. The other guests were Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Eversole and Miss Marcia Messenger.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade are both natives of Cassville, Monongahela county, W. Va., Mr. Wade being now 73 years of age, and Mrs. Wade will be 70 in May. Mr. Wade fought for the Union in the civil war with the Kelley Lancers. Mrs. Wade has reason to remember a time in her life, in her own neighborhood, when southern chivalry failed. The sentiment was strong for the south, and after her husband and a few others had gone off to war she and all other wives of Union men had to chop their own wood, for not a man could they get to do any work for the wife or mother of a Union soldier. In 1866 Mr. Wade and his family started west, settling at Geneseo, Ill., where they lived eight years; then to Chetopa, Kan., where they lived six months. Returning to Illinois, they settled at Premption for five years, then to Lenox and Creston, Ia., for seven years. They came to Maryville twenty-five years ago, which has since been their home. Mr. Wade worked all the time at the harness trade until about twenty years ago, when he had his right thumb torn off while assisting at a fire.

Mr. Wade is made the last member of his family by the death of a brother, George Wade of Ft. Madison, Ia., four years ago. Mrs. Wade has three sisters and four brothers living: Mrs. Mrs. M. W. Lough of Dentrung, W. Va., Mrs. C. Cordary of Cassville, W. Va.; and Mrs. C. M. Alexander of Topeka, Kan.; Rev. L. A. Core, president of Lucknow Methodist college, in India; M. L. Core of Morgantown, W. Va.; C. C. Core and C. E. Core of Cassville, W. Va., and W. P. Core of Buchanan, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade were the recipients of many nice presents, and they have the best wishes of all their friends for many more years of happiness.

RAVENWOOD.

We are having some fine weather now.

The high water has abated and everything is looking more favorable and cheerful.

The snow has all disappeared and our farmers are beginning their spring work, but all the ground is not dry enough to work yet. Some have sown oats, others will sow this week.

Wheat and grass are looking fine and growing nicely. Very little garden has been made yet.

The Methodist people here celebrated Easter, commencing Wednesday night and closing Sunday night. A very fine program was rendered Sunday night, consisting of Scripture reading and music.

John McKee, an old citizen of Nodaway county, died Sunday at the home of his son, near Harmony church.

Puts End to Bad Habit.

Things never look bright to one with "the blues." Ten to one the trouble is a sluggish liver, filling the system with bilious poison, that Dr. King's New Life Pills would expel. Try them. Let the joy of better feelings end "the blues." Best for stomach, liver and kidneys. 25c.

Notice to Teachers.

Teachers are hereby notified that the Graham school board will hire teachers for the coming year on April 26th. All applicants must hold first grade or better certificates, and have had actual experience in teaching.

W. H. MORRIS, Clerk.

Box Supper and Dance.

There will be a box supper and dance at the W. O. W. hall Wednesday evening, April 10th. Everybody cordially invited. Proceeds for benefit of the degree team.

Misses Esther Busby and Mary Cummins returned to their school work at St. Joseph's academy at Clyde Tuesday, after the Easter vacation.

"It is Said That People Who Talk But Little Are Too Full for Utterance or Have Nothing to Utter."

We talk clothes continually and aim to be entirely consistent in our arguments. We talk *style, quality, fabrics* and *price.* What fellow doesn't want all of these? Let us prove to you that we know what we are talking about by showing you our Spring Suits. $10.00 to $30.00.

Blue Serge No. 3246 at $12.50

They're the greatest values we have ever been able to offer.

We Show
Kuppenheimer and Clothcraft Clothes

During All This Week We will Give 20% Discount on all Felt Hats

ANDERSON-FRANK Clothing Company

"SUPES" ROSE TO OCCASION

Manager Threw Real Money on Stage and the Mob Scene Became at Once Realistic.

"Stage money," that commodity which has been the butt of jokes for generations, may soon lose its significance if the example just set by one manager is followed generally.

This wise individual is going to put on a new play very soon and rehearsals are now in progress. There is a mob scene in the play and the hero at a critical moment throws a handful of money to the crowd.

When rehearsals first began the stage manager found much difficulty in getting the necessary "ginger" into the scene, as the supernumeraries did not show any great enthusiasm in scrambling for the coin. They knew its real value.

Then a bright idea struck the manager. He knew that as thespians get no salary while rehearsing they are sometimes hard up, so he decided to mix some real money with the stage article that is thrown to the crowd.

The effect was magical. The scramble is so realistic that the manager is looking forward anxiously to the first night to see the effect on the audience. But those who read this will know the real secret of the wonderful "acting."

Easter novelties and post cards at CRANE'S.

Were in the City.

Henry Rasco and Lee Rasco of near Barnard were in the city Tuesday.

Mrs. R. F. Westfall returned to her home, near Barnard, Monday evening from a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Baker.

Mrs. S. J. Yeomans returned to her home in Hopkins Tuesday from a three days' visit with her son, Mr. F. J. Yeomans, and wife.

Mrs. C. A. McCoppin of Bolckow was the Easter guest of her daughter, Miss Beulah McCoppin, a Business college student.

Paul Grantham of Albany was in Maryville Monday night the guest of Wade Smith. He left Tuesday morning for Omaha.

Miss Pearl Middleton of Bolckow spent Eastertide with her sister, Mrs. A. C. Ashford, living four miles east of Maryville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Karr went to Barnard Tuesday morning to visit a few days with Mrs. N. Rogers.

John Schumacher of St. Joseph visited in Maryville over Easter with his father, Nic Schumacher.

Mrs. N. L. Pearce of Barnard spent Tuesday in Maryville with Mrs. Elizabeth French.

Miss Stella McDowell was the Easter Sunday guest of Miss Alma Massie.

Today's Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—3,000. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 15,000.

Hogs—15,000. Market 5c lower; top, $7.95. Estimate tomorrow, 26,000.

Sheep—14,000. Market strong.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—7,000. Market steady.

Hogs—14,000. Market steady; top, $8.00.

Sheep—13,000. Market strong.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—1,400. Market 10c higher.

Hogs—7,500. Market 5c lower; top, $7.95.

Sheep—2,700. Market strong.

St. Louis Live Stock Market.

National Stock Yards, Ill., April 8.—Cattle receipts, 2,500. Steers opening strong with a $7.90 top; cows steady. Heifers started out steady but closed dull and 10c to 15c lower. Prospects fair.

Hog receipts, 9,500. Early rounds steady, closing 5c to 10c lower. Top, $8.05; bulk, $7.60 to $8.00. With a break in provisions the outlook for the next few days is not encouraging.

Sheep receipts, 4,500. Market strong. We quote good to choice wool lambs $8.00 to $8.25; clipped lambs, $6.75 to $7.25; wool sheep, $6.00 to $6.25; clipped sheep, $5.75 to $6.25; wool yearlings, $6.50 to $7.00; clipped yearlings, $6.25 to $6.50.

National Live Stock Commission Co.

LETTER LIST.

Following is a list of letters remaining unclaimed in the Maryville postoffice for the week ending Wednesday, April 10, 1912:

Gentlemen.

Beecher, J. H.
Beshers, Clarinda.
Dean, Francis Marion.
Green, R. E.
Harwood, Alden.
Nickles, Hugh A. (2)
Robertson, Wm.
Ryan, Joseph.
Shelly, R. J.
Whipple, Willard.
Weinberg, Louis.

Ladies.

Gibson, Miss Mary.
Kirkpatrick, Edith (returned).
Smith, Mrs. Palmer.
Taylor, Mrs. Anna.
Williams, Miss Anna.
Wright, Miss Lillie (2).

Persons calling for these letters will please say "advertised."

S. R. BEECH, Postmaster.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

Base ball goods. A full line at CRANE'S.

FIVE AND CENT **MARK'S** FIVE AND TEN CENT **STORE**

HATS
We have a nice line of Staw Hats for the little ones. Just the thing for spring. Choice 10 cents.

Hat Flowers
A large line to select from. choice 10 cents.

THE ONLY KIND
Of repairing that satisfies is the kind that is done right by competent machinists who know their business.

WE GUARANTEE
Every job of repair work to satisfy you in every particular, and we want no man's money on any other terms. What we are after is not transient, but permanent patronage. Prices right.

J. L. Fisher
115 West Fourth Street.

Let us have a look at your Eyes

You may be having trouble that is caused from eye strain.

Our thorough routine examination with Mediaometer and trial case enable us to obtain results that make the use of glasses a pleasure.

All work guaranteed.

Raines Brothers
JEWELERS & OPTICIANS
"Just a step past Main"

J. W. Herndon went to Parnell Tuesday on business.

SHE GAVE UP ALL HOPE

Physicians Failed To Help Mrs. Green, But She Finally Found Relief in Cardui.

Meetze, Va.—Mrs. J. C. Green of this place, says: "I suffered with womanly troubles so that I could hardly sit up. Two of the best doctors in our town treated me, and I tried different medicines, until I gave up all hope of ever getting well.

One day, I decided to try some Cardui. It did so much for me that I ordered some more, and it cured me! Today, I feel as well as I ever did in my life.

The pains and the trouble are all gone. I feel like another person in every way. I wish every sufferer could know what Cardui will do for sick women."

A few doses of Cardui at the right time, will save many a big doctor bill, by preventing serious sickness.

It tones up the nervous system, and helps make pale cheeks fresh and rosy.

Thousands of weak women have been restored to health and happiness by using Cardui. Suppose you try it.

It may be just the medicine you need.

N. B.—*Write to:* Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for *Special Instructions*, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper, on request.

Rev. Harkness to Bethany.

Rev. S. D. Harkness, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of this city, went to Bethany Tuesday to attend the spring meeting of Platte presbytery.

THE FAVORITE LAXATIVE.

One at Night Makes the Next Day Bright—No Charge if It Doesn't.

Because of its extremity gentle and effective action, Rexall Orderlies have become the most popular Remedy for Constipation.

We are so positive that Rexall Orderlies will do all that is claimed for them that we positively guarantee to hand back the money you paid us for them upon your mere request, if you are not entirely satisfied.

Rexall Orderlies are eaten like candy, are very pleasant to the taste, do not gripe, cause nausea, or any other annoyance usually experienced when ordinary cathartics are used.

Rexall Orderlies have a positive regulative effect upon the bowels and tend to provide permanent relief from Constipation and the myriad of associate ailments. Besides, they help to overcome the necessity of the constant use of laxatives to keep the bowels in normal condition.

We honestly believe there is no similar medicine so good as Rexall Orderlies, especially for children, aged, or delicate people. They are prepared in convenient tablet form in three sizes of packages. Prices, 10c., 25c., and 50c. Why not try them at our risk on our guarantee?

Remember, Rexall Remedies can be obtained in this community only at our store — The Rexall Store The Orear-Henry Drug Co., 113 North Main street.

Mrs. Proctor of Pickering came to Maryville Tuesday morning to visit her daughter, Mrs. H. L. Rutherford.

Important Letter to All Who Suffer.

"I suffered from indigestion for a long time. Last May I almost died. The doctor told me it was acute indigestion and I could not be cured. Since that time I have suffered very much, as some days everything I ate, even light food, as soft boiled eggs, would distress me. I lost fifteen pounds. Sometimes I felt that I could not live another day. A month ago I got a box of Mi-o-na tablets. Before I had used them a week I was better. I have used two boxes and I feel as well as I ever did.—Eunice A. Peters, Jackson, Ga.

Use Mi-o-na stomach tablets for quick relief from sour stomach, heaviness, heartburn, belching of gas and distress after eating. They are guaranteed. Large box 50 cents at the Orear-Henry Drug Co. and druggists everywhere.

Picture framing at CRANE'S.

Miss Eva LaGrey of Creston, Ia., arrived in Maryville Tuesday morning for a visit with Mrs. Jesse McMullen.

Almost a Miracle.

One of the most startling changes ever seen in any man, according to W. B. Holsclaw, Clarendon, Texas, was effected years ago in his brother. "He had such a dreadful cough," he writes, "that all our family thought he was going into consumption, but he began to use Dr. King's New Discovery, and was completely cured by ten bottles. Now he is sound and well and weighs 218 pounds. For many years our family has used this wonderful remedy for Coughs and Colds with excellent results." It's quick, safe, reliable and guaranteed. Price 50 cents and $1.00. Trial bottle free at the Orear-Henry Drug Co.

There will be a pie social at Mt. Ayr church 4 miles east of Maryvilel, Thursday night, April 11th. Everybody invited.

GRAIN EXCHANGES HAVE A HEARING

House Committee Hears Protest on Bills to Stop Dealing in Futures.

TOPEKA MAN FEARS MONOFOLY

Secretary of Kansas Association Argues Anti-Option Legislation Would Result in Control of Entire Supply.

Washington, April 9.—Twenty representatives of the leading grain exchanges were granted a hearing by the house committee on agriculture in opposition to the pending bills to prohibit dealing in grain and cotton futures. They tried to convince the committee that the grain states do not want such legislation, and asserted that the passage of any of the pending anti-option bills would be detrimental to producer and consumer, as well as disastrous for investors on exchanges and the bankers. It was admitted that there were some evils connected with speculation in grain but they insisted that the present system of dealing in futures and options brings higher prices to the farmer, lower prices to the ultimate consumer and stability of conditions generally.

Risk is Small.

John Aspegren of the New York Produce exchange said that the speculative risk of those handling the dealings in grain futures was only one sixteenth of 1 per cent. On the other hand, he declared, the speculative risk of those dealing in vegetables and other products was from 25 to 40 per cent, and this risk was added to the cost to the consumer. If potatoes and other products of the dining table could be graded so as to be dealt in on exchanges, he said, the speculative risk would be reduced and the cost of living lowered.

Smiley Speaks for Kansas.

E. J. Smiley, secretary of the Kansas Grain Dealers' association of Topeka, representing all the elevator owners and operators in Kansas, including 100 farmers' co-operative elevators, declared: "As a very large proportion of the wheat crop produced in Kansas is marketed during July, August and September, following harvest, principally on account of the farmers and local elevator men not having sufficient storage to carry this grain, we fear that should an anti-option law be enacted by congress it would create one of the greatest monopolies of the present age. In our opinion the result would be that individuals and firms of great wealth in Chicago and the East would take advantage of this situation and depress the market until the bulk of the grain was delivered to them."

J. C. F. Merrill of Chicago filed a letter from A. T. Abernathy, vice-president of the First National bank of Kansas City, saying in part: "This legislation would be a great blow to the farmers."

George W. Davis of Kansas City argued along the same lines.

IS STUDYING KANSAS PRISON

Gov. Aldrich, of Nebraska, Contemplates Many Changes, With Possibly a New Building.

Leavenworth, Kan., April 9.—Gov. C. H. Aldrich of Nebraska spent the day at the federal prison here as a guest of Warden McClaughry. He was accompanied by Burd F. Miller, state architect, and said relative to the purpose of his visit here:

"After the terrible tragedy at our state prison I communicated with Warden McClaughry and made arrangements to come here and get pointers for a complete reorganization of our prison methods. I find that the prison system at Lincoln has been all wrong, many of the employes being old, incompetent and underpaid. Politics has also cut too much figure there. We are going to put the prison under a board of control and will also probably build a new prison, using the old one for the lower class of criminals only."

WOODMEN RATE CAUSES SPLIT

Dissatisfied Members in Kansas Will Form New Order Because of Raise.

Wichita, April 9.—Kansas members of the Modern Woodmen of America will form an organization of their own because of the recent order of the grand lodge of the United States advancing rates. Fifteen members of the executive committee of the state organization met here and decided to separate from the old body and have a lodge of their own, using the word "Woodmen" in the title. They say they represent 60,000 of the 81,000 members of the order in Kansas. The new order will do no business outside of the state. It will adhere closely to the old form of rates.

Rescued Seven From Fire.

St. Joseph, April 9.—P. H. Shields, a grocer, and six members of his family, were rescued by firemen who carried them down ladders in their night clothes when fire broke out in Shields' grocery store under their living rooms. The family was asleep when the fire started and had been overcome by smoke when the firemen arrived.

SENATOR W. E. BORAH.

Senator Borah is the author of the bill, just passed by congress, creating a federal bureau to look after the welfare of the nation's children.

COUNTY HIRES FARM EXPERT

PETTIS TO TRY NEW PLAN AS AN EXPERIMENT.

First County in Missouri to Hire Agriculturist to Give Farmers Free Advice.

Columbia, Mo., April 9.—Pettis county is the first county in the state to employ an agricultural expert to spend all of his time in the county and give the farmers advice on the care and management of their farms and the raising of crops. It has engaged "Sam" Jordan, the "Missouri corn man," who has been employed by the state board of agriculture as an institute lecturer.

He is preparing now to go to Pettis county to become familiar with conditions, crops and soil there before starting in on his duties.

When he begins his work any Pettis county farmer may call him up or visit him personally and get expert advice free on anything pertaining to his farm. If necessary the expert will personally investigate conditions on the farm.

If the new plan succeeds after a year's trial an attempt will be made by the board to have an expert employed in every county in the state where farming is the chief industry. At the end of a year, in case Pettis county is satisfied with the plant, Mr. Jordan probably will resign as a lecturer for the board and continue as a county expert.

"It is in the light of an experiment and I am quite sure that it will be successful," T. C. Wilson, secretary of the state board of agriculture, said. "If the plan works in Pettis county I believe that it will work in any county in the state."

WILL TEST NEW MOTOR CAR LAW

Constitutionality of Missouri's New Statute is in Question Before Supreme Court.

Jefferson City, April 9.—The constitutionality of the criminal provision of the motor car law relative to accidents was attacked in the supreme court through an application brought by Forrest E. Kneedler.

Kneedler was a passenger in a car which struck and killed Frank Farrar, a negro. An information was filed against Kneedler alleging that he advised the driver to go ahead and not furnish his name and the number of his car license to the injured man or the authorities. He was arraigned and sought to have the information quashed as it would require him to give testimony against himself and thus furnish the basis of a prosecution. The demurrer was overruled and the case set for hearing April 22. The supreme court is asked to issue an order directing the circuit judge to quash the proceeding.

FIVE HUNDRED WOMEN STRIKE

Boston Carpet Weavers Walk Out Because of Wage Controversy.

Boston, April 9.—Five hundred employes of the Roxbury Carpet company struck when their demands for a 10 per cent increase in wages were denied. Most of the strikers are women and are employed in the weaving and drum department of the mills. About 600 persons work in the mill and the strikers were confident that most of the operatives would join them.

Hotels Can't Keep Towels.

Topeka, April 9.—Kansas hotel keepers are objecting to the individual roller towel order of the state board of health because their guests keep stealing the towels. The general use of paper towels is being forced on the hotel keepers of the state by the thefts of the patrons.

Arizona House for Suffrage.

Phoenix, Ariz., April 9.—Equal suffrage won a victory in the Arizona assembly when the house, 21 to 4, passed the bill granting women the full right of suffrage. The bill immediately was sent to the senate, where public hearings will be held before final action.

FEDERAL JUDGES SHIELD CLERKS?

Bill Introduced in House by Chairman Clayton Suggests Scandal

COURT CLERK'S ACCOUNTS SHORT

At Least Five Judges Said to be Standing Between Guilty Parties and Law—Would Give President Power to Remove.

Washington, April 9.—A nation wide judicial scandal is threatened through a bill introduced by Henry D. Clayton, chairman of the committee on judiciary, and passed by the house, empowering the president to peremptorily remove from office federal court clerks guilty of embezzlement of public funds or other malfeasance in office.

Back of the bill stands the startling allegation that because of their intimate friendship for offending clerks, no fewer than five federal judges are standing between violators and the law.

The bill had its inspiration in several lines of President Taft's annual message to congress last fall urging the enactment of a law granting him the power of removal. The request was prefaced in the following words: "The relations exising between a judge and his clerk are of such an intimate nature that the former should be relieved of the responsibility of being the sole person who can remove the clerk for just cause. The withholding of federal funds by courts makes such legislation necessary."

Department of Justice Aroused.

The quashing of an indictment against a clerk charged with the embezzlement of funds in the United States district court at Boston 15 months ago and the failure of the presiding judge to remove him after the shortage became known, it is declared here, aroused indignation in the department of justice. The department of justice, having discovered a discrepancy between the total amount of money paid into the courts in the way of fines and the amount remitted to the government by the courts, started an inquiry. As a result according to the last report of the attorney general 12 clerks of United States courts were found to be short in their accounts.

Seven Clerks Removed.

In seven cases the defaulting clerks were either removed promptly by the judges or were permitted to resign and of this number those who did not at once make up the amounts of their defalcation were made defendants in suits brought by the United States.

In five cases the judges refused to remove the clerks or take any other steps to punish the crooks. The attitude of these judges was that they were above the law and that their acts were not to be questioned, even by the government.

So aroused is Senator Borah, who is a member of the senate committee on judiciary, over the scope of the Clayton bill and the intimation it carries, that it is probable he will introduce a resolution calling upon the department of justice to produce all it's information on this most important subject.

REBELS RETURN STOLEN GOODS

Order of Gen. Salazar Brings Restoration of Property Worth Quarter of a Million.

Parral, Mex., April 9.—An order by Gen. Salazar that any person in whose house stolen goods were found would be shot resulted in the return to the city hall of property valued at $250,000. Wagons loaded with plunder blocked the streets in front of the general's headquarters. Most of the merchants are insured against loss by looting and there was no particular haste in reclaiming goods.

The first train to leave here for the United States will carry 100 Americans, who have been marooned here. They gave a dinner to Gen. Salazar at which the friendliest international sentiments were voiced.

MADE $10,000 HEREFORD SALE

California Man Buys Biggest Herd Ever Sold in Kansas at One Time.

Salina, Kan., April 9.—The entire herd of registered Herefords of the Peck & Whitman Oakview Stock farm in this county was sold to C. C. Bowen of Mancos, Cal. There were 100 cows at $75 each and 48 bulls at $65 each, bringing a total of $10,620. This is said to be the largest herd of Hereford cattle ever sold at one sale in Kansas. The cattle are being examined for tuberculosis before they can be shipped to California.

Women Killed in Panic.

Avesnes, France, April 9.—Seven women and children were killed in this city in a rush to the doors in a concert hall, following an outbreak of fire. Fifteen other women and children were injured.

Bainter to Porto Rico.

Washington, April 9.—Nominations sent to the senate by President Taft included Edward M. Bainter of Missouri commissioner of education for Porto Rico, and Earle L. Hunter postmaster at Juneau, Alaska.

Doctors Use This for Eczema

Dr. Evans, Ex-Commissioner of Health, says: "There is almost no relation between skin diseases and the blood." The skin must be cured through the skin. The germs must be washed out, and so salves have long ago been found worthless. The most advanced physicians of this country are now agreed on this, and are prescribing a wash of wintergreen, thymol and other ingredients for eczema and all other skin diseases. This compound is known as D.D.D. Prescription for Eczema.

Dr. Holmes, the well known skin specialist writes: "I am convinced that the D.D.D. Prescription is as much a specific for eczema as quinine for malaria. We have been prescribing the D.D.D. remedy for years."

We, ourselves vouch for the D.D.D. Prescription for eczema and absolutely guarantee that it will take away the itch the instant you apply it.

If you are suffering from any form of skin trouble we would like to have you come to our store, for we have had the agency of this remedy for so many years that we can tell you all about D.D.D. Prescription and how it cures eczema. In fact, we are so sure of what D.D.D. will do for you that we will be glad to let you have a $1 bottle on our guarantee that it will cost you nothing unless you find that it does the work. For that matter a trial bottle for 25c ought to be enough to absolutely prove the merits of the remedy.

Drop into our store anyway and we will tell you all about this great remedy.

J. C. Ferritor, Druggist.

YOU can always afford something--no matter how small--put it in the bank.

The most successful men in the world say, "Your expenses should never exceed your income."

Take that advice—and bank the surplus. It will make you independent—is a safeguard against sickness, accident and misfortune. Next pay day—don't forget—start it here—even a dollar will do.

NODAWAY VALLEY BANK

MARYVILLE, MISSOURI

CAPITAL $100,000.00
SURPLUS $22,000.00

Mayor's Proclamation

As this is the time of year that all debris, and unnecessary accumulation, should be removed, that our city be in a more sanitary condition, I therefore set apart

Saturday, April 13, 1912

As clean-up day, and ask all citizens to join in and give our city a general cleaning up.

A. S. ROBEY, Mayor

A REAL AUCTIONEER

If it's the Money You Want, Then Get J. O. Bolin to Cry Your Sale

Bolin gets the price; gets the crowd; is a natural auctioneer; guarantees satisfaction. Phone him at Arkoe, Mo., his expense.

Seed Corn for Sale

White Silver Mine corn at $2 per bushel. Wm. Seely, 4½ miles northeast of Maryville on R. F. D. 5.

Van Steenbergh & Son

Dry Cleaning, Pressing

Phone Hsnamo 279

Beautiful Flowers

for any occasion. Plants for all purposes.

The Engelmann Greenhouses

1001 South Main Street. Hsnamo 17 1-4, Bell 124.

POULTRY CARDS

One inch card in this column for $1.50 per month. No card taken for less than one month at this rate.

CRYSTAL WHITE ORPINGTONS, Kellarstrass Strain. S. C. BUFF ORPINGTONS, Heavy Weight Strain— Breeds that Weigh, Lay and Pay. Taking orders for Eggs now. IDEAL POULTRY YARDS, F. W. OLNEY, Proprietor. Phone Bell 277 or Crane's Store. Maryville, Missouri.

S. C. WHITE ORPINGTONS

The triumph of scientific breeding. Best layers—best for table use. My flock originated from the best in the United States—Owen farm. Two firsts and 1 second prize Northwest Mo. Poultry Ass'n. show, Maryville, 1911. Eggs for hatching at bargain prices, exhibition pen $4, utility $2 per 15 eggs. Reference, Maryville National Bank. Bell phone 378. O. A. DODGE, 1010 N. Fillmore St., Maryville, Mo.

"SUNNY SIDE" WHITE ROCKS

Eggs from pen $2.00 per 15. Range flock $1.00 per setting, $5.00 per 100. Flock and pen not related. MRS. CLAUDE MOORE, R. F. D. 6, Maryville, Mo. Farmers' phone 30-14.

ROSE COMB RHODE ISLAND REDS

EGGS FOR HATCHING 15 for 60c, $3.50 per hundred. MRS. ELMER YOUNG, Farmers' phone. Bedison, Mo.

Eggs for Setting—Orpingtons Fine, Large, Healthy

Farm raised birds, the quality that wins. Having tested the strength and fertility of eggs, can guarantee results.

Single Comb Buffs, $1 per setting, or $6 per 100.

Baby chicks, 15 cents each, or $12 per 100.

A few settings of Single Comb Whites, $3 per setting.

MRS. HENRY MOORE, Ridgeview Farm, R. 6. Telephone No. 25-16 on Farmers.

EGGS FOR SALE Single Comb R. I. Reds

High scoring. $1 per setting of 15. $4.50 per hundred. MRS. HENRY SMOCK, Maryville, Mo., R. F. D. 3, Farmers' phone 13-22.

WHITE PLYMOUTH ROCKS

Large birds, standard weight or better. Pure white plumage. My winnings at N. W. Mo. P. A. show against strong competition should convince you that I have quality stock. $1 per 15 for eggs. $5 per 100. 710 South Walnut St. Hanamo 136 Red. O. A. BENNETT.

Choice Buff Wyandotte

Eggs for hatching, $3.00 per 15 from first pen, containing birds scoring as high as 94¼, headed by a prize winning cockerel. Eggs from second pen $1.50 per 15. Eggs from both of these pens, as they run, $2.00 per 15. W. H. CRAWFORD & SON.

THOROUGHBRED BARRED PLYMOUTH ROCKS

5 cockerels—some hens. Eggs 6c per setting of 15. None but nice, large, fresh eggs. Special prices on large quantities or incubator lots. Delivered to any store in Maryville. MRS. JOHN HALASEY, Maryville, Mo., R.F. D. 2. Farmers phone 11-19

Orpingtons—Crystal White and Buff. Eggs for Hatching

and baby chicks for sale from prize winning, vigorous stock. These large breeds are noted for their meat and egg laying qualities. Prices low. JOHN E. CAMERON, Poultry Yards, 409 West 9th St., Hanamo 217 Red.

R. C. RHODE ISLAND RED

Eggs for sale, winning first on pen at King City and Guilford, second and third at Maryville poultry shows, fall of 1911; winning fourteen regular prizes from the three places on two pens, pen No. 1 scoring 91¼ to 93¾. $1.50 per setting. Utility pen, 75c per setting; $4.00 per hundred. MRS. JOE THOMPSON. Guilford, Mo.

BARRED PLYMOUTH ROCK EGGS FOR SETTING

75 cents for 15. $4 per hundred. MRS. S. W. SCOTT, Maryville, Mo. Route 6. Farmers' phone 25-14.

WHITE PLYMOUTH ROCKS "The Kind That Stay White"

Took 14 premiums at poultry show in Clarinda, Iowa, in December, 1911. Eggs from best matings $1.50 for 15. Booking orders now. G. L. GILLESPIE, Clarinda, Iowa.

Mrs. Chas. H. Rice, breeder of S. C. Brown Leghorns. My yard contains first prize winners from some of the biggest shows in Missouri. Eggs, $1.00 per setting, or $5.00 per 100. Baby chicks, $15.00 per 100. Will have a few settings of M. B. Turkey eggs at $2.00 per setting. Mrs. Chas. H. Rice, phone 40-20.

S. C. RHODE ISLAND REDS Eggs for Setting

60 cents per setting, $3.50 per hundred. MRS JOHN ANDERSON, 406 S. Mulberry St., Maryville. Farmers' phone 33-12.

The Perfect Test

By Annie Hinrichsen

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"Do you really mean that you will give me no explanation?"

"I can not explain, Katherine," Carter protested. "My reason is an excellent one. Some time I can give it to you. I ask you to trust me until that time."

"We have been the best of good friends, Doane. Before the legislature convened you came often from your home in Johnsville to Benton to see me, a distance of seventy miles. After the legislature assembled and you were in Capital City, ten miles from my home, you came once to Benton. Then you wrote me that you could not come again for many weeks, probably not until the legislature adjourns. You said there is a reason which some time I shall understand and—and you asked me to—to——"

"To love me and trust me," Carter broke in. "You did not answer my letter."

"Of course, I did not. When a man tells a girl he does not intend to see her again she knows it is because he does not want to. I come to Capital City every few days to see my sister, who is in a hospital here. Today I meet you by chance, and you ask me to believe that you care for me?"

"You know I love you, Katherine. Will you not trust me a few weeks? Will you not believe that my reason is a good one and an honorable one?"

"Then why not tell me?"

"I can't, dear, yet."

"Is it because you can not trust me with the reason or—because there is no reason except your desire to end our friendship?"

"I am not a cad, although you seem to think I am. I could trust you with anything in the world that I could in honor share with you. But I can not tell you this."

"You need not." Katherine's voice had become suspiciously gracious. "Your affairs are no concern of mine. You and I enjoyed for a time a pleasant friendship. You have ended it. Will you please leave me? I do not care to walk with a stranger."

Walked rapidly away

Carter's perplexed, angry eyes met her calm ones. Then he lifted his hat and walked rapidly away.

For several weeks the general assembly had been deadlocked over the election of a United States senator. There were ninety-three Republican members and eighty-eight Democratic ones. The Republicans had nominated Sherrill Vane. The Democratic candidate was James Brown. As the Republicans had a majority of five it was expected that their candidate would be elected on the first ballot. But when the Republicans met in caucus and chose their candidate, five of the younger members of the party rebelled, refused to support Sherrill Vane and demanded the election of George Allerton.

Allerton had never been affiliated with either party. He was the leading lawyer of the state, a man of incorruptible honor and national fame.

The five insurgents openly declared their hostility to Sherrill Vane, the Republican candidate, and announced that the deadlock would remain until George Allerton was elected. The leader of the insurgents was Doane Carter.

Around the insurgent band raged the political battle. The Republican party used every weapon and every strategy at their command to compel the five to support the party candidate. The Democrats fought as fiercely to win them for the Democratic candidate. Day after day for many weeks the ballot remained the same: Sherrill Vane, 88; James Brown, 88; George Allerton, 5.

One morning Katherine Vane sat in the gallery of the house of representatives. The balloting began. Amidst the wildest bedlam the old hall had ever held, George Allerton received the vote of the entire Democratic faction and of the insurgent band and was declared the successful candidate for the senate.

Katherine pushed her way through the crowd toward the elevator. A hand touched her arm. Doane Carter, the leader of the insurgent band, almost as great a hero in that hour as the man whose election he had secured, stood beside her. He drew her into a committee room and closed the door against a clamoring mob of admirers.

"You know now why I could not come to see you." His voice was cold. He spoke hurriedly as if in haste to dispose of an unpleasant topic. "Your uncle, it was known, was using every means to secure those five votes. The Democratic candidate was also doing his best to get them. Both men are grafters and bribers. We five stood out to elect a good man. I was made chairman of our band. Every act of mine was watched by the spies of each side. Had it been known that I was going to Benton, Sherrill Vane's home, to see his niece I should have been suspected of secretly favoring his candidacy. I could not have made any one understand that he and your father are bitter enemies because your father despises his political methods. My connection with his family would have made my men suspicious of my sincerity and they might have been won by one or the other faction.

"There was more at stake than a little glory for ourselves. We were fighting to compel the assembly to elect a great man instead of a boodler. Last night the Democratic leaders agreed, since they could not elect their candidate, to share with us the honor of electing Allerton.

"Now you understand my reason. When I refused to tell you and you refused to trust me, the candidates had not been nominated, and our plans to refuse to support Vane, if he should be nominated, were still secret. I could not in honor tell you the plans of my associates."

"I understand, Doane, and I am sorry—I can't tell you how sorry I am—how much I regret my unkindness. If you were to ask me again to trust you—"

"I shall not. Since I have been proved honorable you are willing to trust me. I have given you the explanation I promised you. I do not ask you to love me. What sort of wife would you be? A woman who would have no confidence in her husband, who would not believe his word of honor unless it was supported by affidavits." He opened the door to allow her to pass out. "Good morning," he said curtly.

In the rotunda she met her uncle, the defeated candidate. For the first time in her life he spoke to her.

"Doane Carter sold out for a price," he said deliberately. "His price was Allerton's daughter. He expects to marry her. She is the reason he formed an insurgent band and elected her father."

"That is not true." There was conviction in Katherine's voice. "He elected Mr. Allerton because he was a great man, an honor to the state and not a boodling politician. Doane Carter is a man whom no price can buy."

"Good for you," laughed Carter behind her. "I hurried after you," he went on when her uncle was out of hearing, "to ask you to forgive me for being such a brute and to love me if you can. I've loved you all the time, Kate, dear, but my pride had been awfully hurt by your lack of confidence in me."

"Lack of confidence? Did I not prove that my trust in you is absolute when Uncle Sherrill could not make me suspicious or jealous by saying you loved another woman? Have I not stood the perfect test? Aren't you sure now that I trust you and—and love you?"

PLAYED FOR HEAVIER TIPS

Neapolitan Waiter Had Shrewd Scheme to Coax More Money From Generous Tourists.

"I was in Naples when old Vesuvius broke loose the last time," said an American tourist, "and the waiter at the table at my hotel was certainly pleased at the size of the tips I handed him daily. He could speak pretty fair English, and for three or four days he gave me all the information he could. One day, however, when I handed him the usual coin he looked at it in a way to make me see that he was dissatisfied.

"'Anything wrong, Josa?' I asked.

"'Hasn't the service been good?' he queried in turn.

"'All that I could have hoped for.'

"'But I had looked for a little increase in the signor's generosity.'

"'Why, because the flow of lava has increased?'

"'No; because I had a brother in a village six miles away.'

"'Well?'

"'And the lava it overtakes him and his wife and five children and they go up what you call the spout, and I am put to expense to buy mourning for them.'

"The point seemed to be well taken," said the tourist, "and I doubled the tip, but later on, as I found all the other waiters playing the same game, I wasted no more tears on the family that went up the spout and came down well roasted."

Good Meal Won Husband.

Newspapers from Canton, Ohio, report a romantic wedding of a poor Norwegian cook to a local millionaire, Mr. Edward Langenbach. The cook, whose name is Rosa Jansen, won her husband through her skill in the culinary art. Mr. Langenbach engaged Miss Jansen as cook, and was so delighted with the first meal she prepared that he proposed to her on the spot. The new cook was considerably astonished, but accepted him with equal promptitude. The millionaire lost no time, but immediately took out a marriage license, and the ceremony was performed an hour after the satisfactory meal had been placed on his table.—Exchange.

WHOLE FAMILY DISAPPEARED

Edward Brown, His Wife, Two Children and Niece.

VISITED BROTHER AT FULTON

Went Out for Walk and Have Not Been Seen Nor Heard From Since —Came to Missouri From Illinois Recently.

Fulton, Mo., April 9.—The mysterious disappearance of an entire family is reported by James Y. Brown, who lives south of Fulton. The persons who disappeared are his brother, Edward Brown, Mrs. Brown, two children and a niece, Phoebe Brown.

Edward Brown and his family arrived here from Champaign, Ill., several weeks ago to visit James Brown, whom he had not seen since he was 15 years old. Edward Brown and his family and the niece went out, ostensibly to take a walk. A neighbor a short distance from the Brown home saw them passing her place, but that was the last seen of them.

No One Saw Them.

Diligent inquiry by James Brown among other persons in that vicinity has failed to find any one else who saw the five persons.

According to James Brown, his brother, Edward, showed great affection for his niece, Phoebe Brown, 18 years old, the daughter of another brother who lives in East St. Louis. A few days ago the father of Phoebe Brown wrote to James Brown, asking him to detain the daughter, but the letter came after Edward and his family had disappeared.

An 11-year-old daughter of Edward Brown is now at the home of her uncle, James Brown, as the latter prevailed upon the father to leave the girl here.

James Brown said he been advised by the neighbor who reported seeing Edward Brown, and his family shortly before their disappearance, that a two-year-old boy was being punished because he could not keep up with the rest in the heavy mud. James Brown fears that harm has come to the members of the family.

FRIENDLY SCUFFLE WAS FATAL

Young Kansan Dies in Hospital From Injuries Received in Wrestle With Friend.

Atchison, Kan., April 9.—Fred Thompson, 30 years old, who lived at Shannon, a small town in this county, died this morning in a hospital here as a result of fracture of the back received in a wrestling match with Russell Keithline. The men met in a store at Shannon Friday night and engaged in a friendly scuffle. Keithline threw Thompson to the floor so that he struck on his head and shoulders. Thompson left a widow and three children.

Lumbermen of Texas Convene.

Fort Worth, Tex., April 9.—From all over Texas lumbermen are here attending their annual convention, which opened this morning in the Westbrook hotel. B. W. Owens, chairman of the local executive committee, first introduced Mayor W. D. Davis, who welcomed the visitors on behalf of the city, while Paul Waples spoke for the lumbermen of Fort Worth. Responses were made by President J. E. Whiteselle and J. M. Rockwell, and the convention then got down to routine business. Special effort has been made to entertain the visiting ladies. This evening they will be given a theater party and automobile rides have been arranged for tomorrow and Thursday.

To Succeed "Bob" Taylor.

Nashville, Tenn., April 9.—Gov. Hooper announced the appointment of Newell Sanders of Chattanooga as United States senator to succeed the late Senator Robert L. Taylor.

FORM NATIONAL AERO CIRCUIT

Great Meet Open to Pilots of all Nationalities to be Held in August, Covering 1,810 Miles.

New York, April 9.—The Aero Club of America announces that with the co-operation of the Aero clubs of Illinois, Michigan, Milwaukee, Kansas City, St. Louis, Indiana, Cincinnati and Ohio, it is organizing an aeroplane circuit of 1,810 miles, which will be held next August and will be known as the great American circuit.

The circuit is to be open to licensed pilots of all nationalities, who will be free from injunction under the Wright patents. The prizes will probably amount to $100,000 and will include a grand prize of $25,000, a second prize of $5,000, and a third prize of $2,500. Among the other prizes to be given are: Prizes for first and second machines to reach each control and a special prize for American built and flown machine, first to arrive.

Kansas Boy Drowned.

Waterville, Kan., April 9.—Three small boys were fishing on Blue river back of this city and Lawton Weaver, 10 years old, slipped over a high embankment where there was 15 feet of water with a swift current and was drowned. A searching party dragged the river but did not find the body.

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FOR RENT—Two good front rooms over 216-218 Main street. Jim Andy Ford. 9-15

FOR SALE—Full-blood Jersey heifer calf, Tom Wiles' stock. Inquire Lincoln Bent, 416 West Fourth street. Hanamo 238. 9-11

FOR SALE—Early seed oats, Early Ohio potatoes, timothy and clover hay, a good heavy work mare and cultivator. Mrs. J. C. Inman, Maryville, Mo. R. D. 3. Phone Bedison central. 8-10

FOR QUICK SALE—One extra good single driver, also will sell or trade one canopy top carriage, either shafts or tongue. J. T. Hays, 405 West Twelfth. Bell phone 300. 6-12

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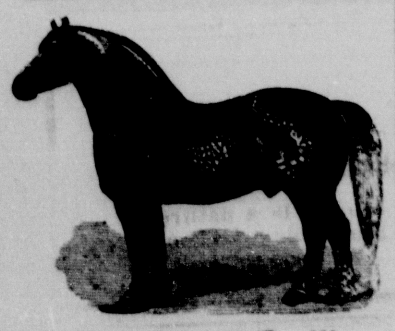
Get a 50 cent bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist to-day, and you will get relief a few minutes after using it. Your headache and cold will vanish, and in a short time you will be completely rid of catarrh. Give it to the children for colds and croup. It is perfectly harmless.

Eastman kodaks and supplies at CRANE'S.



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TO GIVE NEW COURSE

PROF. RICHARDSON WILL HAVE DEPARTMENT AT SUMMER TERM.

FITS FOR LEADERSHIP

"Administration of Education" an Elective for the Senior or Graduate Course Will Attract Many.

Among the courses to be offered during the summer term of the Normal, that in administration of education by Mr. Richardson, director of the department of education and training, will be one of the most effective. The prospect of its being given is already attracting inquiry from superintendents and principals all over the district.

This course will be a senior elective or graduate course, open to advanced students, principals, superintendents, college graduates and others whose experience and preparation will enable them to profit by it. It will consider the vital problems of administration of education general and specific; national, state and local forms of maintenance and control; the teaching force and its improvement in service; the course of study and the supervision of instruction; problems of retardation and promotion; reports and records; medical inspection and the newer school activities in their relation to the community endeavor; school buildings, their planning, construction, heating, lighting and equipment; concrete problems of rural organization, such as equalizing support, centralization, transportation, industrial clubs, efficient instruction and supervision.

The experience of Mr. Richardson as superintendent of schools and as instructor of public administration and his special preparation in this field will serve to make this a very attractive course for those who are to occupy position of leadership. Mr. Richardson will also probably give a series of lectures on school hygiene and sanitation during the summer session.

Attending District Meeting.

Mrs. W. B. Christy, Miss Mary Q. Evans, Mrs. Preston Seafers, Mrs. M. M. Rittenour went to Hopkins Tuesday noon to attend the district meeting of the W. F. M. S. of the Maryville district M. E. conference. They were accompanied by Miss Fannie Perkins of Thamdaung, Burmah, who is visiting her home at Osceola, Ia., on leave of absence from her work as a foreign missionary. Miss Perkins addressed the members of the M. E. church congregation Sunday morning at the Easter service, and held the attention of her audience better than any speaker from a foreign field that has appeared in that pulpit. She is in charge of the industrial farm for boys and girls at Thamdaung. Mrs. A. E. Anderson of Tarkio and Mrs. T. A. Corken of Burlington Junction accompanied the Maryville delegates to Hopkins for the meeting.

Made Good Grades.

In a recent examination held at the postoffice here for mailing clerks, Eldon Irvin made a perfect score and Ernest Welborn made 99.90 per cent. Mr. Irvin threw 988 cards in thirty-four minutes, or twenty-nine cards a minute, which is considered a very good record. Mr. Welborn threw 988 cards, and one of these was incorrect. It is necessary for mailing clerks to take these examinations once a year.

Mrs. J. B. McGinniss of East Fifth street went to Pickering Tuesday to visit the family of Charles Chenoweth.

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CLUB OR LODGE

Can't Sell Liquor in County That Has Voted Out Saloon.

The Kansas City court of appeals has decided that it is against the law for a club or a lodge to sell liquor in a county that had voted out saloons. The judges held that a club might sell liquor in a county where saloons were licensed. The opinion of the appellate court will stop the practice of evading the local option law by resorting to the subterfuge of selling liquor in chartered clubs. The decision was rendered in an appeal from the district court in Chariton county, Missouri. Stanley E. Robinson, steward of the Clover Leaf lodge at Sumner, was convicted of violating the law by selling liquor in the club to members. His conviction was confirmed by the Kansas City court of appeals.

TO MEET AT MARYVILLE.

Maryville District Epworth League Convention Here May 31, June 1 and 2.

The Maryville district Epworth League meeting will be held at Maryville, at the First M. E. church, on May 31, June 1 and 2. The district is composed of the Epworth Leagues in Nodaway, Atchison, Worth, Gentry, the north half of Andrew county, and the north half of Holt county. The program will be announced soon.

Have Very Little Judgment.

Some people seem to be obliged to talk mean of others. That seems to be their only subject on which to spend an hour in neighborly conversation. Soon you will hear what they said and naturally you get as mad as a hornet, unless you are an angel. Since that is seldom the case, we would advise you to be wise and cool off. Remember that gossipers have very little judgment and common sense.—Parnell Sentinel.

President Taylor Returned.

President H. K. Taylor of the Normal returned Tuesday noon from a week's business trip in the Normal district. He addressed the public schools of Excelsior Springs Monday. Mrs. Taylor and Miss Emma Lee Taylor, who have been at the springs for two weeks, accompanied President Taylor as far as St. Joseph and will visit there with Mrs. Taylor's sister, Mrs. L. C. Gabbert, until Thursday evening.

Organized a Ball Team.

Russell Robey has organized a base ball team composed of young boys, and they are to play their first game Thursday afternoon after school, when four players will oppose them. Russell Robey is captain and manager of the team and the following are the players he has selected: Paul Robey, Lorace Landfather, Will Smith, Dan Everhart, Harry Jones, Leonard Gray, Wesley Hagins and Carl Youell.

Walked to Conception Junction.

Charles Allen, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Allen, and Edward Condon, son of Mrs. B. E. Condon, walked to Conception Junction Sunday afternoon, leaving here about 3:30 o'clock. They walked the Wabash track to the Junction, and had to run a mile or so to catch the evening Wabash train home. They arrived at that town at 6:29 o'clock. The distance by rail is sixteen miles.

Saw Marlowe in Omaha.

Miss Dora Carpenter returned Sunday night from Omaha, where she went Saturday morning to attend the Saturday afternoon performance of "Romeo and Juliet" by Marlowe and Sothern. Miss Carpenter was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Ray L. Edwards, while in that city.

Accompanied Their Husbands.

Mrs. Charles D. Caldwell, Mrs. O. F. Wilson and Mrs. Frank Compton of Burlington Junction spent Tuesday in Maryville. The ladies accompanied their husbands, who were in the city for the Andrews-Caldwell cattle sale.

Ice to Be Cheaper.

William Everhart, a local dealer in ice, announced Tuesday that ice would be cheaper this summer than last. He will sell it at 35 cents a hundred pounds, while last year it was 50 cents a hundred.

Has a Tennis Court.

The Agoga class of young men of the Baptist church Sunday school has organized a tennis club and are preparing the court on the old Normal grounds.

Latest post cards, 1 cent each at Crane's.

FILING TIME NOW

CANDIDATES FOR COUNTY OFFICES FILING WITH COUNTY CLERK

TWO LIVELY RACES ON

Four Candidates Each for Sheriff and Treasurer—Not Many Seeking Honors in Other Places.

The time is at hand for candidates for county offices to file their declaration as such with the county clerk. Candidates for county positions are required to pay a fee of $5 to the treasurer of the county committee of the party on whose ticket they wish to run, in addition to filing a declaration with the county clerk, stating his residence, the office to which he aspires and the political party at whose hands he is asking the nomination. These candidates must file their declaration at least sixty days before the first Tuesday in August.

Only one candidate has filed his declaration with County Clerk George W. Demott, that being Jesse B. Joy of Elmo for county treasurer. Others will probably file within the near future.

The county officers to be elected at the November election are: Representative, treasurer, sheriff, prosecuting attorney, surveyor, judge from the north district, judge from the south district, and coroner.

William Gex of Hughes township is the only one mentioned on the Democratic ticket for representative to succeed Anderson Craig, who is a candidate for state senator from this district.

The race for sheriff and treasurer promise to be lively. So far there are four candidates mentioned for each place on the Democratic ticket. For sheriff, Ed Wallace of Atchison township, Dudley Rice of Hughes, Sherman Heflin of White Cloud and Luke Colvin of Maryville are aspiring to that office. For county treasurer, Sam Williams is seeking re-election, and other candidates will be Jesse B. Joy, H. H. McClurg and Amos Sprecher.

George Pat Wright is a candidate for re-election and will have no opposition for prosecuting attorney. He has made a good officer, as is well shown by his record.

Joseph E. Reese, county highway engineer, will be a candidate for county surveyor, and will have no opposition for the nomination.

Judge Wm. Blackford will be a candidate for judge of the county court from the north district. It is rumored that Judge J. O. Thompson of Guilford will not seek re-election this fall. Sam Hayworth of White Cloud, formerly a member of the county court, is being mentioned.

For coroner no one is being mentioned at this time.

As this is to be Democratic year, a large number will be candidates for the various county offices.

The primary election is to be held on the first Tuesday in August.

Has a New Granddaughter.

Mrs. M. C. Baublitts returned Tuesday noon from Kansas City, where she had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. A. Younke. Mr. and Mrs. Younke have a little new daughter, whom they have named Elizabeth. Mrs. Younke, who was Mrs. Charles I. Pixler of Maryville, is now the mother of five little girls, the four older of whom are Marie, Mabel, Charlene and Adaline Pixler. Adaline is coming soon to make an extended visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Baublitts.

Egg Social at Business College.

An egg social is to be given at the Business college this evening for the benefit of the senior class. The following is the program that will be given:

Piano solo.....Hilda Lahr
Vocal duet..Anna Collins, Ada Clayton
Reading.....C. D. White
Vocal solo.....May Clark Denny
Trombone solo.....Irvil Stafford
Vocal solo.....Bertha Kirch
Class paper.....Ernest Yeaman
Vocal solo.....Hilda Denny
Games .....Everybody

A luncheon will be served after the program, which will cost 8 cents being an eight item lunch.

Mrs. Charles Gaugh and children, William and Lucile, went to Kansas City Monday evening to visit her four sisters and their families, and will also visit other relatives and friends in Excelsior Springs and St. Joseph before their return.

BETTER THAN EVER

TRACK MEET TO ECLIPSE ALL PREVIOUS MEETS.

INQUIRIES ARE COMING IN

Much Interest Being Taken Over the Normal District—All High Schools Eligible to Compete.

The prospects for the oratorical contest and track meet to be held in Maryville on Friday and Saturday, April 26 and 27, promises to eclipse any yet given under the auspices of the Normal school. All of the high schools in this Normal district are eligible to take part in these contests.

Many inquiries are being received daily by President H. K. Taylor of the school in regard to the meet and contest, and much interest seems to be taken among the high schools over the district. In a letter received from Superintendent J. R. Hale of the Ridgeway, Mo., schools, a large number of entries were enclosed for both the meet and contest. Mr. Hale was formerly teacher of Latin in the Normal school here. Other schools are also sending in their entries.

The track meet and oratorical contest is one of the biggest events given in Maryville. High school students from all over the district are in attendance and a lively time is always had.

WAN AN ENJOYABLE CONCERT.

One Given by the Maryville Band at the Empire Theater Fairly Well Attended.

The concert given Monday evening by the Maryville band, under L. V. Lawler as director, was a good one and was enjoyed by the fair sized crowd present. The band received a number of encores after each number. A cornet solo was given by E. J. Schumacher.

RURAL EXAMINATIONS

Of Seventh and Eighth Grade Pupils to Be Held Friday and Saturday.

The rural examinations of seventh and eighth grade pupils will be held Friday and Saturday of this week over the county. Several scholarships are offered to those making the highest grades.

Broke Her Shoulder.

Mrs. A. T. Stephenson fell on the floor of her sitting room Sunday and broke one of her shoulders. She is getting along as well as could be expected of one of her years.

Announce Son's Birth.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Baker, who live on the Herren form, east of Maryville, announce the birth of a son to them on Saturday morning.

Bought Out Glover's Shop.

Baker & Wagner recently purchased the blacksmith shop of J. T. Glover, and are now ready for business. They have a number of new tools.

Was Guest Over Easter.

Miss Arminta Sargent of Kansas City returned to her home Monday evening from an Easter visit with Miss Esther Shoemaker.

Left for Colorado.

Mrs. Elma Trueblood and children, Mildred and Verlin, left for La Junta, Col., Monday evening to make their home.

Mrs. J. A. McGuire and daughter, Alice, returned to their home in Guilford Tuesday from a visit with her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Baker, who live on the Herren farm.

Misses Jennie and Lou Garrett and Miss Frances Miller went to Kansas City Tuesday morning to visit until Thursday evening at the home of Dr. and Mrs. I. N. Goodson.

Mrs. A. C. Parsons of King City was the guest Monday and Tuesday of Mrs. Thomas Workman. Mrs. Parsons returned home Tuesday, accompanied by John Workman.

Dr. Grace Phelps and little daughter returned Tuesday morning from an Easter visit with her husband, Dr. Charles C. Phelps, at Sheridan.

Miss Ruth O'Malley, who has been the Easter guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Sanders since Friday, returned to her home in Albany Tuesday.

MRS. MESSICK DIED.

Mother of Mrs. George B. McMurray—Funeral Thursday Morning.

Mrs. Dudley Messick of Bolckow, mother of Mrs. George B. McMurray of southwest of Maryville, died Monday afternoon at 4:20 o'clock, after a long illness of heart trouble.

Mrs. McMurray has been at her mother's bedside for several days.

The funeral services will be held at the Christian church in Bolckow Thursday morning at 10 o'clock, conducted by Rev. W. A. Chapman, assisted by Rev. A. R. Hunt and Dr. J. T. Hanna.

Margaret Jane (Muir) Messick was born October 9, 1842, near Muncie, Ind., in Delaware county. Married to Mr. Dudley Messick July 30, 1861. She was baptized into the Presbyterian church in infancy. In 1901 became a member of the Christian church and lived every day what the word Christian implies.

She is survived by her husband and five children, who are Perry Morton Messick, Robert Emmett Messick and Edwin Messick, who live on farms west of Bolckow; Mrs. Loula Agnes Roberts of Beatrice, Neb., and Mrs. Nora Ellen McMurray, five miles southwest of Maryville. Also Miss Odessa Hunter, who has made her home with Mr. and Mrs. Messick since 1909, and has been as a daughter to them.

Mr. Messick is 79 years old. He came to Andrew county in 1850 and settled on a farm seven miles west of Bolckow, where he lived until 1899, when he moved to Bolckow.

CONSTRUCTION MAN HERE.

L. O. Gobel of Washington to Superintend for Government the Work on Postoffice.

L. O. Gobel of Washington, D. C., arrived in the city Monday night and will be here until the new postoffice building is completed. He is the government superintendent of construction of public buildings.

F. D. Frenz, who is foreman and in charge of the work of the building, has all arrangements completed and work will start soon on the excavation. The size of the proposed building has been staked off. Mr. Frenz is working for W. D. Lovell & Co., of Minneapolis, who have the contract for the building.

CATTLE SALE TODAY.

Many Stock Men Here for the Andrews-Caldwell Sale of Aberdeen-Angus Cattle.

The Andrews-Caldwell sale of Aberdeen-Angus cattle was held this afternoon at Pierpoint's sale pavilion, and many prominent stock men from all over the country were present. The two breeders, W. W. Andrews of Maryville and C. D. and E. F. Caldwell of Burlington, who have entered into this joint public sale offering, are among the foremost in their line of activity in this part of the country. Both have assembled herds of Angus cattle, which are really of superior quality. They sold this afternoon thirty-three females and eleven bulls.

HOUSTON GAVE BOND.

Was Released From Jail Monday—Is to Return All Goods Stolen From Deschauer.

C. M. Houston, who was arrested last week on a charge of grand larceny, gave bond for $1,000 Monday, with J. B. Robinson as surety. He was released from the jail, and it is said that he will return all watches and diamonds that he has taken from R. Deschauer, where he worked, many of these articles being in pawn shops.

His case is to come up at the June term of circuit court.

Miss Gertrude Haudenschield returned to her studies at Baker university, in Baldwin, Kan., Tuesday morning from her Easter visit with Miss Ethel Embree.

Mrs. J. W. Houghtaling of Bolckow came to Maryville Saturday and visited over Easter Sunday with Mrs. C. H. John. Mrs. John is very much improved in health.

Mrs. H. A. Hoyt of Quitman was in Maryville Tuesday morning on her way to Rosendale to visit her daughter, Mrs. George Rains, and her son, Bert Hoyt.

Mrs. C. D. Bellows and her sister, Miss Nellie Douglas, went to St. Joseph Tuesday morning to spend the day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Patterson of Savannah were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harley Teaford over Easter.

CUTS OFF 42 MILES

NODAWAY DITCH STRAIGHTENS OUT THE CURVES.

SAVED FARMS FROM FLOOD

Only Overflow Was in Low Places and the Ditch When Finished Will Stop It Even There.

County Highway Engineer Reese was at Clearmont Monday, looking after a bridge that needs repairing. While there he went down to the Nodaway drainage ditch, west of Clearmont, to see the work that had been done on it.

Mr. Reese says that the work on this ditch is progressing nicely and all of the people seem to be well satisfied with the results. The ditch starts at a point about four miles north of Clearmont, and is to go eighteen miles to Quitman. It will shorten the Nodaway river from sixty to eighteen miles.

Mr. Reese said: "They have dug the ditch to about half way between Burlington Junction and Clearmont, making about seven miles that the ditch is open. It will be a matter of only a short time when the old river bed will fill up and the drainage ditch will be the river. The ditch is a good thing at this time, on account of the high condition of the Nodaway, and the farmers report that the water is overflowing from the river only in the low places, when formerly it used to overflow all that district."

Bought Interest in Conservatory.

Miss Sarah McMaster of Hopkins came to Maryville Monday evening to take post-graduate work at the Maryville Conservatory, of which she is a graduate. Miss McMaster has bought an interest in the Conservatory and will become a member of the faculty some time in the future.

Visiting Aged Mother.

Mrs. Kittie Wallace Young of Kansas City and her sister, Mrs. Anna Ramsay of Omaha, arrived in Maryville Sunday night to visit their aged and invalid mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Wallace, at the home of their sister, Mrs. Emma Cloud, South Vine street.

Broke His Arm.

J. W. Ardery of St. Joseph, who is well known in Maryville, fell Saturday evening in that city and broke his arm. He is getting along nicely at this writing. Mr. Ardery is an uncle of R. G. Sanders.

On Camping Trip.

Mrs. M. L. Beattie will go to Clarinda Tuesday to meet Mr. Beattie, and join a camping party of Clarinda friends for a week's duck hunt in the region of a lake near that place.

Spent Easter Here.

Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Wray of Pickering returned home Tuesday noon from an Easter visit with their son, Vern Wray, and family, and Mrs. Wray's brother, H. T. Crane, and Mrs. Crane.

Sung a Number of Songs.

The Normal quartet gave a number of selections at chapel at that school Thursday morning, before their departure on a week's concert tour.

Purchased Interest in Restaurant.

Fred Smith has bought the interest of Henry Neal in the Seiler & Neal restaurant, on North Main street. He took possession Tuesday.

Moving to Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Talkington left Tuesday for Ellston, Ia., where they will locate and conduct a restaurant and meat market.

THE WEATHER

Generally fair tonight and Wednesday; warmer Wednesday.

DR. FINN

Treats eyes with glasses only. He can give you 5,000 references in Maryville and Nodaway county. Ask your neighbors about Finn's glasses that make weak eyes strong.

W. B. FINN.

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WILL MR. ROOSEVELT BOLT?

Already the list of contesting delegates, opposed to Mr. Taft, for the Chicago convention suggest the membership of a large bolters' convention.

The success of any Roosevelt delegates is hailed by the anti-Taft leaders as triumph of righteousness. But practically every gain made for the Taft list is denounced as the result of fraud, corruption and administration pressure.

Indeed, the Roosevelt men have adopted the fraud cry against their opponents with so much unanimity as to pave the way for any sort of action looking to the defeat of the Taft cause—in the election, if impossible in the convention.

The country is informed by the Roosevelt leaders that the colonel's defeat in North Dakota was accomplished by Democrats. In Indiana, we are told, rank fraud was practiced. In New York, it is asserted, defeat was accomplished by diabolical methods.

To what possibilities all these things point is a matter for interesting speculation. Mr. Roosevelt denies that he has said anything to be construed as purpose to bolt. But, what may he not do if "great popular pressure" shall have such influence on his actions as was the case in connection with his "recall" of his pledge not to be a candidate for a third term?—Chisago Journal.

GRASSHOPPERS IN NODAWAY.

The First of the Pests Make Their Appearance Near Graham.

The seventeen-year locust, or as the average Missourian familiarly calls it, the grasshopper, is already here.

Nodaway has always been and always will be one of the most progressive, enterprising and up-to-date counties in the great galaxy which makes up the 114 counties which adorn the crown of the Kansas governor of Missouri. It is first in everything—its ladies, its men, its corn, its live stock, and first in payment of taxes. Now it is foremost again.

Allen McNeal, a prosperous farmer who resides six miles southeast of Graham, in that county, on Tuesday of last week brought to the Citizens bank of Graham a box full—not of gold, silver or currency—but of young, healthy, live and kicking grasshoppers which he had harvested in his front door yard that forenoon. The pie biters were about an inch long and acted as if they possessed all of the appetite that a full fledged old fellow hopper should have.

"There are just thousands upon thousands of these young pests," said Mr. McNeal. "Why the little wretches are so thick that you cannot step without crushing the life out of a flock of them. On the south side of my front yard fence, where the sun strikes full, the snow has melted and here they are coming out of the ground as if they wanted to take possession. On the north side the snow bank is four feet high and the little pests seem to enjoy looking at the white pile. It seems funny to think that as cold as it is they do not freeze, but so far I have not discovered this to be a fact."

Other farmers report a like condition and there is considerable uneasiness as to what the Kansas pests will do this season. Last year they did considerable damage in Nodaway, Holt and Atchison counties.—St. Joseph Observer.

Do not worry, eat three square meals a day, say your prayers, be courteous to your creditors, keep your digestion good, steer clear of biliousness, exercise, go slow and go easy. Maybe there are other things that your special case requires to make you happy, but, my friend, these, I reckon, will give you a good lift.—Abraham Lincoln.

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

O. D. O. Bridge Club Thursday.

Mrs. C. C. Hellmers will entertain the O. D. O. Bridge club Thursday afternoon.

Meet With Mrs. Ford.

The Woman's Missionary society of the First Presbyterian church will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. A. Ford.

Entertainment Postponed.

The Mothers' Circle announces a postponement of their entertainment from the coming Thursday night until Tuesday night of next week.

Entertained Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Hall entertained Easter Sunday at dinner Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Trullinger, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Willhoyte, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. White, Mr. and Mrs. William Job, Mr. and Mrs. John C. White, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Knabb, Misses Okie Huff, Clydell White, Leora Willhoyte and Wilma Hall, Messrs. Will Job, Wilford White, Eldon Job.

Golden Wedding Celebration.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Wade of this city celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at their home, on South Hester street, Sunday, all their children being with them but one, George Wade of Excelsior Springs. It was a perfect Easter day, the first one we have had in a long time, and it seemed that the day had been made on purpose to add its golden glory to the golden memories of the anniversary. The children arrived in the city Saturday night and Sunday morning, according to the word they had sent their parents two days before, as a surprise for them, and on Sunday morning the entire family attended services at the First Presbyterian church, where all had been attendants in years gone by. Upon their return an elaborate seven-course dinner was served by Mrs. Mary Hardin, which was also prepared by her. A color scheme of white and gold was carried out in the decorations. White and gold ribbon streamers hung from the electrolier and were held in place at the four corners of the table by white and yellow roses, while Easter lilies in a golden pot made an attractive center. The company lingered long at the table for music on the victrola, "Put on Your Old Gray Bonnet," being one number, and the giving of toasts by the sons and daughters interspersed the feast. No one in particular was the toastmaster and there were no set speeches, but each arose and gave a toast whenever the spirit moved him, no matter how many times, and it is doubtful if a happier time has occurred in our city on a like occasion.

The toasts brought out some interesting facts and called for explanations to the guests outside of the family by the bride and groom, especially when the youngest son toasted his father "because he got the best horse that could be found in West Virginia and "took" mother over into Pennsylvania from West Virginia as fast as he could travel and married her." This little toast had to be explained, of course, the bride modestly saying that her father wished her to marry a wealthy cattle man, but the good-looking young harness maker suited her so much better that she would not even consider the cattleman, though he might have them on a thousand hills. So on a Sunday morning, April 6, 1862, like the sunny Easter day just gone, she dressed with unusual care and attended Sunday school and church, as was her custom. She wore a dark brown wool challie gown, thickly figured with variegated flowers, and a pretty poke bonnet of white horse hair braid, trimmed with white ribbon and red roses. The waist and sleeves of the dress were very tight fitting. The skirt had many straight widths plainly gathered on to the waist and was worn over an immense rattan hoopskirt. She carried away some quilts and other articles of bedding she had made, under the hoopskirt, having taken other articles of housekeeping to the house of a girl friend for safe keeping until she should need them. After church services Mr. and Mrs. Wade mounted their horses, and accompanied by six other young couples, started off for a short ride, presumably. It was only three miles from their home in Cassville to the Pennsylvania line. That point gained, all started on a good run to Taylortown, Pa., nine miles farther on, where they were married by Justice Ben Howard. The wedding party returned to Cassville after the ceremony, and the bride and groom went to housekeeping in two rooms that were ready for them. Mrs. Wade's father forgave her after three weeks and she received his blessing, for it was the first time she had disobeyed him.

Other toasts by the children brought out other humorous instances, and also gave abundant evidence of appreciation on the part of the children for the love and care and reproof they had received in the years at the parental home, and a generous purse of gold was given them, Charles Wade eloquently presenting the gift.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade showed that they enjoyed every minute of the day, and one could not easily believe that their life together had spanned fifty years.

After dinner two granddaughters, Mrs. Everett Dillon of Kansas City and Miss Florence Tribley of Cameron, sang "Fifty Years Ago," with violin accompaniment by Mr. Dillon. Several readings were given by Miss Tribley, who is quite an accomplished reader, and violin numbers proved the artistic skill of Mr. Dillon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade's children and grandchildren present were: Mr. and Mrs. John Wade and their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Dillon of Kansas City, Kan.; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wade of Fairfield, Ia.; Mrs. J. J. Tribley and daughter, Miss Florence Tribley, of Cameron, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Bert Wade of Brookfield, Mo., and their little daughter, Virginia, who celebrated her sixth birthday anniversary on the golden wedding anniversary of her grandparents; Mr. Ross Wade of Kansas City, Mo. The other guests were Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Eversole and Miss Marcia Messenger.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade are both natives of Cassville, Monongahela county, W. Va., Mr. Wade being now 73 years of age, and Mrs. Wade will be 70 in May. Mr. Wade fought for the Union in the civil war with the Kelley Lancers. Mrs. Wade has reason to remember a time in her life, in her own neighborhood, when southern chivalry failed. The sentiment was strong for the south, and after her husband and a few others had gone off to war she and all other wives of Union men had to chop their own wood, for not a man could they get to do any work for the wife or mother of a Union soldier. In 1866 Mr. Wade and his family started west, settling at Geneseo, Ill., where they lived eight years; then to Chetopa, Kan., where they lived six months. Returning to Illinois, they settled at Premption for five years, then to Lenox and Creston, Ia., for seven years. They came to Maryville twenty-five years ago, which has since been their home. Mr. Wade worked all the time at the harness trade until about twenty years ago, when he had his right thumb torn off while assisting at a fire.

Mr. Wade is made the last member of his family by the death of a brother, George Wade of Ft. Madison, Ia., four years ago. Mrs. Wade has three sisters and four brothers living: Mrs. Mrs. M. W. Lough of Dentrung, W. Va., Mrs. C. Cordary of Cassville, W. Va.; and Mrs. C. M. Alexander of Topeka, Kan.; Rev. L. A. Core, president of Lucknow Methodist college, in India; M. L. Core of Morgantown, W. Va.; C. C. Core and C. E. Core of Cassville, W. Va., and W. P. Core of Buchanan, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade were the recipients of many nice presents, and they have the best wishes of all their friends for many more years of happiness.

RAVENWOOD.

We are having some fine weather now.

The high water has abated and everything is looking more favorable and cheerful.

The snow has all disappeared and our farmers are beginning their spring work, but all the ground is not dry enough to work yet. Some have sown oats, others will sow this week.

Wheat and grass are looking fine and growing nicely. Very little garden has been made yet.

The Methodist people here celebrated Easter, commencing Wednesday night and closing Sunday night. A very fine program was rendered Sunday night, consisting of Scripture reading and music.

John McKee, an old citizen of Nodaway county, died Sunday at the home of his son, near Harmony church.

Puts End to Bad Habit.

Things never look bright to one with "the blues." Ten to one the trouble is a sluggish liver, filling the system with bilious poison, that Dr. King's New Life Pills would expel. Try them. Let the joy of better feelings end "the blues." Best for stomach, liver and kidneys. 25c.

Notice to Teachers.

Teachers are hereby notified that the Graham school board will hire teachers for the coming year on April 26th. All applicants must hold first grade or better certificates, and have had actual experience in teaching.

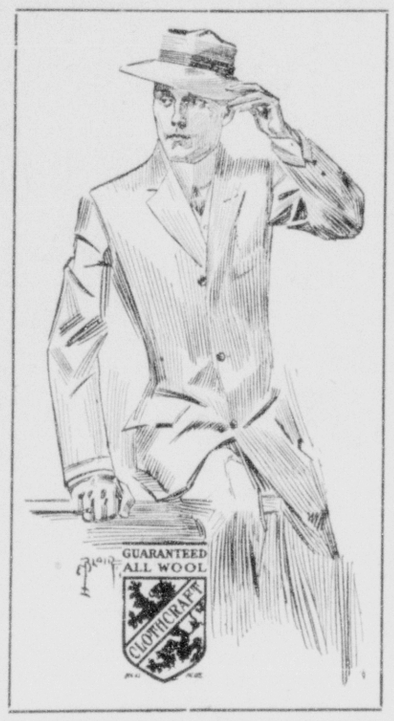
W. H. MORRIS, Clerk.

Box Supper and Dance.

There will be a box supper and dance at the W. O. W. hall Wednesday evening, April 10th. Everybody cordially invited. Proceeds for benefit of the degree team.

Misses Esther Busby and Mary Cummins returned to their school work at St. Joseph's academy at Clyde Tuesday, after the Easter vacation.

"It is Said That People Who Talk But Little Are Too Full for Utterance or Have Nothing to Utter."



We talk clothes continually and aim to be entirely consistent in our arguments. We talk *style, quality, fabrics* and *price.* What fellow doesn't want all of these? Let us prove to you that we know what we are talking about by showing you our Spring Suits. $10.00 to $30.00.

Blue Serge No. 3246 at $12.50

They're the greatest values we have ever been able to offer.

We Show
Kuppenheimer and Clothcraft Clothes

During All This Week We will Give 20% Discount on all Felt Hats

ANDERSON-FRANK
Clothing Company

"SUPES" ROSE TO OCCASION

Manager Threw Real Money on Stage and the Mob Scene Became at Once Realistic.

"Stage money," that commodity which has been the butt of jokes for generations, may soon lose its significance if the example just set by one manager is followed generally.

This wise individual is going to put on a new play very soon and rehearsals are now in progress. There is a mob scene in the play and the hero at a critical moment throws a handful of money to the crowd.

When rehearsals first began the stage manager found much difficulty in getting the necessary "ginger" into the scene, as the supernumeraries did not show any great enthusiasm in scrambling for the coin. They knew its real value.

Then a bright idea struck the manager. He knew that as thespians get no salary while rehearsing they are sometimes hard up, so he decided to mix some real money with the stage article that is thrown to the crowd.

The effect was magical. The scramble is so realistic that the manager is looking forward anxiously to the first night to see the effect on the audience. But those who read this will know the real secret of the wonderful "acting."

Easter novelties and post cards at CRANE'S.

Were in the City.

Henry Rasco and Lee Rasco of near Barnard were in the city Tuesday.

Mrs. R. F. Westfall returned to her home, near Barnard, Monday evening from a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Baker.

Mrs. S. J. Yeomans returned to her home in Hopkins Tuesday from a three days' visit with her son, Mr. F. J. Yeomans, and wife.

Mrs. C. A. McCoppin of Bolckow was the Easter guest of her daughter, Miss Beulah McCoppin, a Business college student.

Paul Grantham of Albany was in Maryville Monday night the guest of Wade Smith. He left Tuesday morning for Omaha.

Miss Pearl Middleton of Bolckow spent Eastertide with her sister, Mrs. A. C. Ashford, living four miles east of Maryville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Karr went to Barnard Tuesday morning to visit a few days with Mrs. N. Rogers.

John Schumacher of St. Joseph visited in Maryville over Easter with his father, Nic Schumacher.

Mrs. N. L. Pearce of Barnard spent Tuesday in Maryville with Mrs. Elizabeth French.

Miss Stella McDowell was the Easter Sunday guest of Miss Alma Massie.

Today's Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—3,000. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 15,000.

Hogs—15,000. Market 5c lower; top, $7.95. Estimate tomorrow, 26,000.

Sheep—14,000. Market strong.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—7,000. Market steady.

Hogs—14,000. Market steady; top, $8.00.

Sheep—13,000. Market strong.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—1,400. Market 10c higher.

Hogs—7,500. Market 5c lower; top, $7.95.

Sheep—2,700. Market strong.

St. Louis Live Stock Market.

National Stock Yards, Ill., April 8.—Cattle receipts, 2,500. Steers opening strong with a $7.90 top; cows steady. Heifers started out steady but closed dull and 10c to 15c lower. Prospects fair.

Hog receipts, 9,500. Early rounds steady, closing 5c to 10c lower. Top, $8.05; bulk, $7.60 to $8.00. With a break in provisions the outlook for the next few days is not encouraging.

Sheep receipts, 4,500. Market strong. We quote good to choice wool lambs $8.00 to $8.25; clipped lambs, $6.75 to $7.25; wool sheep, $6.00 to $6.25; clipped sheep, $5.75 to $6.25; wool yearlings, $6.50 to $7.00; clipped yearlings, $6.25 to $6.50.

National Live Stock Commission Co.

LETTER LIST.

Following is a list of letters remaining unclaimed in the Maryville postoffice for the week ending Wednesday, April 10, 1912:

Gentlemen.

Beecher, J. H.
Beshers, Clarinda.
Dean, Francis Marion.
Green, R. E.
Harwood, Alden.
Nickles, Hugh A. (2)
Robertson, Wm.
Ryan, Joseph.
Shelly, R. J.
Whipple, Willard.
Weinberg, Louis.

Ladies.

Gibson, Miss Mary.
Kirkpatrick, Edith (returned).
Smith, Mrs. Palmer.
Taylor, Mrs. Anna.
Williams, Miss Anna.
Wright, Miss Lillie (2).

Persons calling for these letters will please say "advertised."

S. R. BEECH, Postmaster.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

Base ball goods. A full line at CRANE'S.

FIVE AND TEN CENT STORE

MARK'S

HATS

We have a nice line of Staw Hats for the little ones. Just the thing for spring. Choice 10 cents.

Hat Flowers

A large line to select from. Choice 10 cents.

THE ONLY KIND

Of repairing that satisfies is the kind that is done right by competent machinists who know their business.

WE GUARANTEE

Every job of repair work to satisfy you in every particular, and we want no man's money on any other terms. What we are after is not transient, but permanent patronage. Prices right.

J. L. Fisher
115 West Fourth Street.

Let us have a look at your Eyes

You may be having trouble that is caused from eye strain.

Our thorough routine examination with Mediaometer and trial case enable us to obtain results that make the use of glasses a pleasure.

All work guaranteed.

Raines Brothers
JEWELERS & OPTICIANS

"Just a step past Main"

J. W. Herndon went to Parnell Tuesday on business.

SHE GAVE UP ALL HOPE

Physicians Failed To Help Mrs. Green, But She Finally Found Relief in Cardui.

„Meetze, Va.—Mrs. J. C. Green of this place, says: "I suffered with womanly troubles so that I could hardly sit up. Two of the best doctors in our town treated me, and I tried different medicines, until I gave up all hope of ever getting well.

One day, I decided to try some Cardui. It did so much for me that I ordered some more, and it cured me! Today, I feel as well as I ever did in my life.

The pains and the trouble are all gone. I feel like another person in every way. I wish every sufferer could know what Cardui will do for sick women."

A few doses of Cardui at the right time, will save many a big doctor bill, by preventing serious sickness.

It tones up the nervous system, and helps make pale cheeks fresh and rosy.

Thousands of weak women have been restored to health and happiness by using Cardui. Suppose you try it.

It may be just the medicine you need.

N. B.—*Write to:* Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for *Special Instructions*, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper, on request.

Rev. Harkness to Bethany.

Rev. S. D. Harkness, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of this city, went to Bethany Tuesday to attend the spring meeting of Platte presbytery.

THE FAVORITE LAXATIVE.

One at Night Makes the Next Day Bright—No Charge if It Doesn't.

Because of its extremity gentle and effective action, Rexall Orderlies have become the most popular Remedy for Constipation.

We are so positive that Rexall Orderlies will do all that is claimed for them that we positively guarantee to hand back the money you paid us for them upon your mere request, if you are not entirely satisfied.

Rexall Orderlies are eaten like candy, are very pleasant to the taste, do not gripe, cause nausea, or any other annoyance usually experienced when ordinary cathartics are used.

Rexall Orderlies have a positive regulative effect upon the bowels and tend to provide permanent relief from Constipation and the myriad of associate ailments. Besides, they help to overcome the necessity of the constant use of laxatives to keep the bowels in normal condition.

We honestly believe there is no similar medicine so good as Rexall Orderlies, especially for children, aged, or delicate people. They are prepared in convenient tablet form in three sizes of packages. Prices, 10c., 25c., and 50c. Why not try them at our risk on our guarantee?

Remember, Rexall Remedies can be obtained in this community only at our store — The Rexall Store The Orear-Henry Drug Co., 113 North Main street.

Mrs. Proctor of Pickering came to Maryville Tuesday morning to visit her daughter, Mrs. H. L. Rutherford.

Important Letter to All Who Suffer.

"I suffered from indigestion for a long time. Last May I almost died. The doctor told me it was acute indigestion and I could not be cured. Since that time I have suffered very much, as some days everything I ate, even light food, as soft boiled eggs, would distress me. I lost fifteen pounds. Sometimes I felt that I could not live another day. A month ago I got a box of Mi-o-na tablets. Before I had used them a week I was better. I have used two boxes and I feel as well as I ever did.—Eunice A. Peters, Jackson, Ga.

Use Mi-o-na stomach tablets for quick relief from sour stomach, heavyness, heartburn, belching of gas and distress after eating. They are guaranteed. Large box 50 cents at the Orear-Henry Drug Co. and druggists everywhere.

Picture framing at

CRANE'S.

Miss Eva LaGrey of Creston, Ia., arrived in Maryville Tuesday morning for a visit with Mrs. Jesse McMullen.

Almost a Miracle.

One of the most startling changes ever seen in any man, according to W. B. Holsclaw, Clarendon, Texas, was effected years ago in his brother. "He had such a dreadful cough," he writes, "that all our family thought he was going into consumption, but he began to use Dr. King's New Discovery, and was completely cured by ten bottles. Now he is sound and well and weighs 218 pounds. For many years our family has used this wonderful remedy for Coughs and Colds with excellent results." It's quick, safe, reliable and guaranteed. Price 50 cents and $1.00. Trial bottle free at the Orear-Henry Drug Co.

There will be a pie social at Mt. Ayr church 4 miles east of Maryvilel, Thursday night, April 11th. Everybody invited.

GRAIN EXCHANGES HAVE A HEARING

House Committee Hears Protest on Bills to Stop Dealing in Futures.

TOPEKA MAN FEARS MONOPOLY

Secretary of Kansas Association Argues Anti-Option Legislation Would Result in Control of Entire Supply.

Washington, April 9.—Twenty representatives of the leading grain exchanges were granted a hearing by the house committee on agriculture in opposition to the pending bills to prohibit dealing in grain and cotton futures. They tried to convince the committee that the grain states do not want such legislation, and asserted that the passage of any of the pending anti-option bills would be detrimental to producer and consumer, as well as disastrous for investors on exchanges and the bankers. It was admitted that there were some evils connected with speculation in grain but they insisted that the present system of dealing in futures and options brings higher prices to the farmer, lower prices to the ultimate consumer and stability of conditions generally.

Risk is Small.

John Aspegren of the New York Produce exchange said that the speculative risk of those handling the dealings in grain futures was only one sixteenth of 1 per cent. On the other hand, he declared, the speculative risk of those dealing in vegetables and other products was from 25 to 40 per cent, and this risk was added to the cost to the consumer. If potatoes and other products of the dining table could be graded so as to be dealt in on exchanges, he said, the speculative risk would be reduced and the cost of living lowered.

Smiley Speaks for Kansas.

E. J. Smiley, secretary of the Kansas Grain Dealers' association of Topeka, representing all the elevator owners and operators in Kansas, including 100 farmers' co-operative elevators, declared: "As a very large proportion of the wheat crop produced in Kansas is marketed during July, August and September, following harvest, principally on account of the farmers and local elevator men not having sufficient storage to carry this grain, we fear that should an anti-option law be enacted by congress it would create one of the greatest monopolies of the present age. In our opinion the result would be that individuals and firms of great wealth in Chicago and the East would take advantage of this situation and depress the market until the bulk of the grain was delivered to them."

J. C. F. Merrill of Chicago filed a letter from A. T. Abernathy, vice-president of the First National bank of Kansas City, saying in part: "This legislation would be a great blow to the farmers."

George W. Davis of Kansas City argued along the same lines.

IS STUDYING KANSAS PRISON

Gov. Aldrich, of Nebraska, Contemplates Many Changes, With Possibly a New Building.

Leavenworth, Kan., April 9.—Gov. C. H. Aldrich of Nebraska spent the day at the federal prison here as a guest of Warden McClaughry. He was accompanied by Burd F. Miller, state architect, and said relative to the purpose of his visit here:

"After the terrible tragedy at our state prison I communicated with Warden McClaughry and made arrangements to come here and get pointers for a complete reorganization of our prison methods. I find that the prison system at Lincoln has been all wrong, many of the employes being old, incompetent and underpaid. Politics has also cut too much figure there. We are going to put the prison under a board of control and will also probably build a new prison, using the old one for the lower class of criminals only."

WOODMEN RATE CAUSES SPLIT

Dissatisfied Members in Kansas Will Form New Order Because of Raise.

Wichita, April 9.—Kansas members of the Modern Woodmen of America will form an organization of their own because of the recent order of the grand lodge of the United States advancing rates. Fifteen members of the executive committee of the state organization met here and decided to separate from the old body and have a lodge of their own, using the word "Woodmen" in the title. They say they represent 60,000 of the 81,000 members of the order in Kansas. The new order will do no business outside of the state. It will adhere closely to the old form of rates.

Rescued Seven From Fire.

St. Joseph, April 9.—P. H. Shields, a grocer, and six members of his family, were rescued by firemen who carried them down ladders in their night clothes when fire broke out in Shields' grocery store under their living rooms. The family was asleep when the fire started and had been overcome by smoke when the firemen arrived.

SENATOR W. E. BORAH.

Senator Borah is the author of the bill, just passed by congress, creating a federal bureau to look after the welfare of the nation's children.

COUNTY HIRES FARM EXPERT

PETTIS TO TRY NEW PLAN AS AN EXPERIMENT.

First County in Missouri to Hire Agriculturist to Give Farmers Free Advice.

Columbia, Mo., April 9.—Pettis county is the first county in the state to employ an agricultural expert to spend all of his time in the county and give the farmers advice on the care and management of their farms and the raising of crops. It has engaged "Sam" Jordan, the "Missouri corn man," who has been employed by the state board of agriculture as an institute lecturer.

He is preparing now to go to Pettis county to become familiar with conditions, crops and soil there before starting in on his duties.

When he begins his work any Pettis county farmer may call him up or visit him personally and get expert advice free on anything pertaining to his farm. If necessary the expert will personally investigate conditions on the farm.

If the new plan succeeds after a year's trial an attempt will be made by the board to have an expert employed in every county in the state where farming is the chief industry. At the end of a year, in case Pettis county is satisfied with the plant, Mr. Jordan probably will resign as a lecturer for the board and continue as a county expert.

"It is in the light of an experiment and I am quite sure that it will be successful," T. C. Wilson, secretary of the state board of agriculture, said. "If the plan works in Pettis county I believe that it will work in any county in the state."

WILL TEST NEW MOTOR CAR LAW

Constitutionality of Missouri's New Statute is in Question Before Supreme Court.

Jefferson City, April 9.—The constitutionality of the criminal provision of the motor car law relative to accidents was attacked in the supreme court through an application brought by Forrest E. Kneedler.

Kneedler was a passenger in a car which struck and killed Frank Farrar, a negro. An information was filed against Kneedler alleging that he advised the driver to go ahead and not furnish his name and the number of his car license to the injured man or the authorities. He was arraigned and sought to have the information quashed as it would require him to give testimony against himself and thus furnish the basis of a prosecution. The demurrer was overruled and the case set for hearing April 22. The supreme court is asked to issue an order directing the circuit judge to quash the proceeding.

FIVE HUNDRED WOMEN STRIKE

Boston Carpet Weavers Walk Out Because of Wage Controversy.

Boston, April 9.—Five hundred employes of the Roxbury Carpet company struck when their demands for a 10 per cent increase in wages were denied. Most of the strikers are women and are employed in the weaving and drum department of the mills. About 600 persons work in the mill and the strikers were confident that most of the operatives would join them.

Hotels Can't Keep Towels.

Topeka, April 9.—Kansas hotel keepers are objecting to the individual roller towel order of the state board of health because their guests keep stealing the towels. The general use of paper towels is being forced on the hotel keepers of the state by the thefts of the patrons.

Arizona House for Suffrage.

Phoenix, Ariz., April 9.—Equal suffrage won a victory in the Arizona assembly when the house, 21 to 4, passed the bill granting women the full right of suffrage. The bill immediately was sent to the senate, where public hearings will be held before final action.

FEDERAL JUDGES SHIELD CLERKS?

Bill Introduced in House by Chairman Clayton Suggests Scandal

COURT CLERK'S ACCOUNTS SHORT

At Least Five Judges Said to be Standing Between Guilty Parties and Law—Would Give President Power to Remove.

Washington, April 9.—A nation wide judicial scandal is threatened through a bill introduced by Henry D. Clayton, chairman of the committee on judiciary, and passed by the house, empowering the president to peremptorily remove from office federal court clerks guilty of embezzlement of public funds or other malfeasance in office.

Back of the bill stands the startling allegation that because of their intimate friendship for offending clerks, no fewer than five federal judges are standing between violators and the law.

The bill had its inspiration in several lines of President Taft's annual message to congress last fall urging the enactment of a law granting him the power of removal. The request was prefaced in the following words:

"The relations exising between a judge and his clerk are of such an intimate nature that the former should be relieved of the responsibility of being the sole person who can remove the clerk for just cause. The withholding of federal funds by courts makes such legislation necessary."

Department of Justice Aroused.

The quashing of an indictment against a clerk charged with the embezzlement of funds in the United States district court at Boston 15 months ago and the failure of the presiding judge to remove him after the shortage became known, it is declared here, aroused indignation in the department of justice. The department of justice, having discovered a discrepancy between the total amount of money paid into the courts in the way of fines and the amount remitted to the government by the courts, started an inquiry. As a result according to the last report of the attorney general, 12 clerks of United States courts were found to be short in their accounts.

Seven Clerks Removed.

In seven cases the defaulting clerks were either removed promptly by the judges or were permitted to resign and of this number those who did not at once make up the amounts of their defalcation were made defendants in suits brought by the United States.

In five cases the judges refused to remove the clerks or take any other steps to punish the crooks. The attitude of these judges was that they were above the law and that their acts were not to be questioned, even by the government.

So aroused is Senator Borah, who is a member of the senate committee on judiciary, over the scope of the Clayton bill and the intimation it carries, that it is probable he will introduce a resolution calling upon the department of justice to produce all it's information on this most important subject.

REBELS RETURN STOLEN GOODS

Order of Gen. Salazar Brings Restoration of Property Worth Quarter of a Million.

Parral, Mex., April 9.—An order by Gen. Salazar that any person in whose house stolen goods were found would be shot resulted in the return to the city hall of property valued at $250,000. Wagons loaded with plunder blocked the streets in front of the general's headquarters. Most of the merchants are insured against loss by looting and there was no particular haste in reclaiming goods.

The first train to leave here for the United States will carry 100 Americans, who have been marooned here. They gave a dinner to Gen. Salazar at which the friendliest international sentiments were voiced.

MADE $10,000 HEREFORD SALE

California Man Buys Biggest Herd Ever Sold in Kansas at One Time.

Salina, Kan., April 9.—The entire herd of registered Herefords of the Peck & Whitman Oakview Stock farm in this county was sold to C. C. Bowen of Mancos, Cal. There were 100 cows at $75 each and 48 bulls at $65 each, bringing a total of $10,620. This is said to be the largest herd of Hereford cattle ever sold at one sale in Kansas. The cattle are being examined for tuberculosis before they can be shipped to California.

Women Killed in Panic.

Avesnes, France, April 9.—Seven women and children were killed in this city in a rush to the doors in a concert hall, following an outbreak of fire. Fifteen other women and children were injured.

Bainter to Porto Rico.

Washington, April 9.—Nominations sent to the senate by President Taft included Edward M. Bainter of Missouri commissioner of education for Porto Rico, and Earle L. Hunter postmaster at Juneau, Alaska.

Doctors Use This for Eczema

Dr. Evans, Ex-Commissioner of Health, says: "There is almost no relation between skin diseases and the blood." The skin must be cured through the skin. The germs must be washed out, and so salves have long ago been found worthless. The most advanced physicians of this country are now agreed on this, and are prescribing a wash of wintergreen, thymol and other ingredients for eczema and all other skin diseases. This compound is known as D.D.D. Prescription for Eczema.

Dr. Holmes, the well known skin specialist writes: "I am convinced that the D.D.D. Prescription is as much a specific for eczema as quinine for malaria. We have been prescribing the D.D.D. remedy for years."

We, ourselves vouch for the D.D.D. Prescription for eczema and absolutely guarantee that it will take away the itch the instant you apply it.

If you are suffering from any form of skin trouble we would like to have you come to our store, for we have had the agency of this remedy for so many years that we can tell you all about D.D.D. Prescription and how it cures eczema. In fact, we are so sure of what D.D.D. will do for you that we will be glad to let you have a $1 bottle on our guarantee that it will cost you nothing unless you find that it does the work. For that matter a trial bottle for 25c ought to be enough to absolutely prove the merits of the remedy.

Drop into our store anyway and we will tell you all about this great remedy.

J. C. Ferritor, Druggist.

Every pay day put some money in the bank

YOU can always afford something--no matter how small--put it in the bank.

The most successful men in the world say, "Your expenses should never exceed your income."

Take that advice—and bank the surplus. It will make you independent—is a safeguard against sickness, accident and misfortune. Next pay day—don't forget—start it here—even a dollar will do.

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CAPITAL - - - - $100,000.00
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Mayor's Proclamation

As this is the time of year that all debris, and unnecessary accumulation, should be removed, that our city be in a more sanitary condition, I therefore set apart

Saturday, April 13, 1912

As clean-up day, and ask all citizens to join in and give our city a general cleaning up.

A. S. ROBEY, Mayor

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If it's the Money You Want, Then Get J. O. Bolin to Cry Your Sale

Bolin gets the price; gets the crowd; is a natural auctioneer; guarantees satisfaction. Phone him at Arkoe, Mo., his expense.

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White Silver Mine corn at $2 per bushel. Wm. Seely, 4½ miles northeast of Maryville on R. F. D. 5.

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S. C. WHITE ORPINGTONS

The triumph of scientific breeding. Best layers—best for table use. My flock originated from the best in the United States—Owen farm. Two firsts and 1 second prize Northwest Mo. Poultry Ass'n. show, Maryville, 1911. Eggs for hatching at bargain prices, exhibition pen $4, utility $2 per 15 eggs. Reference, Maryville National Bank. Bell phone 378. O. A. DODGE, 1010 N. Fillmore St., Maryville, Mo.

"SUNNY SIDE" WHITE ROCKS

Eggs from pen $2.00 per 15. Range flock $1.00 per setting, $5.00 per 100. Flock and pen not related. MRS. CLAUDE MOORE, R. F. D. 6, Maryville, Mo. Farmers' phone 30-14.

ROSE COMB RHODE ISLAND REDS

EGGS FOR HATCHING

15 for 60c, $3.50 per hundred. MRS. ELMER YOUNG, Farmers' phone. Bedison, Mo.

Eggs for Setting—Orpingtons Fine, Large, Healthy

Farm raised birds, the quality that wins. Having tested the strength and fertility of eggs, can guarantee results.

Single Comb Buffs, $1 per setting, or $6 per 100.

Baby chicks, 15 cents each, or $12 per 100.

A few settings of Single Comb Whites, $3 per setting.

MRS. HENRY MOORE, Ridgeview Farm, R. 6. Telephone No. 25-16 on Farmers.

EGGS FOR SALE Single Comb R. I. Reds

High scoring. $1 per setting of 15. $4.50 per hundred. MRS. HENRY SMOCK, Maryville, Mo., R. F. D. 3, Farmers' phone 13-22.

WHITE PLYMOUTH ROCKS

Large birds, standard weight or better. Pure white plumage. My winnings at N. W. Mo. P. A. show against strong competition should convince you that I have quality stock. $1 per 15 for eggs, $5 per 100. 710 South Walnut St. Hanamo 136 Red. O. A. BENNETT.

Choice Buff Wyandotte

Eggs for hatching, $3.00 per 15 from first pen, containing birds scoring as high as 94¼, headed by a prize winning cockerel. Eggs from second pen $1.50 per 15. Eggs from both of these pens, as they run, $2.00 per 15. W. H. CRAWFORD & SON.

THOROUGHBRED BARRED PLYMOUTH ROCKS

5 cockerels—some hens. Eggs 6c per setting of 15. None but nice, large, fresh eggs. Special prices on large quantities or incubator lots. Delivered to any store in Maryville. MRS. JOHN HALASEY, Maryville, Mo., R.F. D. 2, Farmers phone 11-19

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and baby chicks for sale from prize winning, vigorous stock. These large breeds are noted for their meat and egg laying qualities. Prices low. JOHN E. CAMERON, Poultry Yards, 409 West 9th St., Hanamo 217 Red.

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Eggs for sale, winning first on pen at King City and Guilford, second and third at Maryville poultry shows, fall of 1911; winning fourteen regular prizes from the three places on two pens, pen No. 1 scoring 91¼ to 93¾. $1.50 per setting. Utility pen, 75c per setting; $4.00 per hundred. MRS. JOE THOMPSON. Guilford, Mo.

BARRED PLYMOUTH ROCK EGGS FOR SETTING

75 cents for 15. $4 per hundred. MRS. S. W. SCOTT, Maryville, Mo. Route 6. Farmers' phone 25-14.

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Took 14 premiums at poultry show in Clarinda, Iowa, in December, 1911. Eggs from best matings $1.50 for 15. Booking orders now. G. L. GILLESPIE, Clarinda, Iowa.

Mrs. Chas. H. Rice, breeder of S. C. Brown Leghorns. My yard contains first prize winners from some of the biggest shows in Missouri. Eggs, $1.00 per setting, or $5.00 per 100. Baby chicks, $15.00 per 100. Will have a few settings of M. B. Turkey eggs at $2.00 per setting. Mrs. Chas. H. Rice, phone 40-20.

S. C. RHODE ISLAND REDS Eggs for Setting

60 cents per setting, $3.50 per hundred. MRS. JOHN ANDERSON, 406 S. Mulberry St., Maryville. Farmers' phone 33-12.

AWAY GOES CATARRH AND BAD COLDS

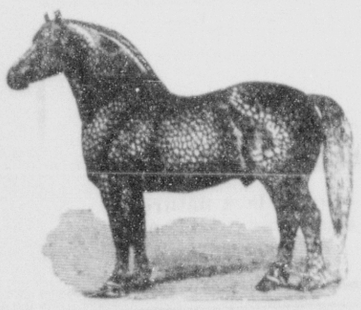
Ely's Cream Balm Cures Sore Nose and Throat, Catarrhal Headaches and Colds.

No matter how bad your catarrh, how much your head aches, or how miserable you are with a cold in the head, nostrils stopped up, hawking, spitting, bad breath, you always get immediate relief by using Ely's Cream Balm.

Don't let your entire system be poisoned by the deadly catarrh germ which, sooner or later, causes complete decay of bone and tissue. The continual dropping of the germ infected discharge down the throat leads to catarrh of the stomach and bowels.

Get a 50 cent bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist to-day, and you will get relief a few minutes after using it. Your headache and cold will vanish, and in a short time you will be completely rid of catarrh. Give it to the children for colds and croup. It is perfectly harmless.

Eastman kodaks and supplies at CRANE'S.



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Sometimes downs a ball player, and it's a question whether he gets the ball or the ball gets him. As a matter of fact, they both get it. It's very satisfactory to get what you want, and you are sure to get just what you want, all you want, at the price you want to pay for it, if you drop in and examine our line of Base Ball Goods, etc., etc.

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The Perfect Test

By Annie Hinrichsen

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"Do you really mean that you will give me no explanation?"

"I can not explain, Katherine," Carter protested. "My reason is an excellent one. Some time I can give it to you. I ask you to trust me until that time."

"We have been the best of good friends, Doane. Before the legislature convened you came often from your home in Johnsville to Benton to see me, a distance of seventy miles. After the legislature assembled and you were in Capital City, ten miles from my home, you came once to Benton. Then you wrote me that you could not come again for many weeks, probably not until the legislature adjourns. You said there is a reason which some time I shall understand and—and you asked me to—to——"

"To love me and trust me," Carter broke in. "You did not answer my letter."

"Of course, I did not. When a man tells a girl he does not intend to see her again she knows it is because he does not want to. I come to Capital City every few days to see my sister, who is in a hospital here. Today I meet you by chance, and you ask me to believe that you care for me?"

"You know I love you, Katherine. Will you not trust me a few weeks? Will you not believe that my reason is a good one and an honorable one?"

"Then why not tell me?"

"I can't, dear, yet."

"Is it because you can not trust me with the reason or—because there is no reason except your desire to end our friendship?"

"I am not a cad, although you seem to think I am. I could trust you with anything in the world that I could in honor share with you. But I can not tell you this."

"You need not." Katherine's voice had become suspiciously gracious. "Your affairs are no concern of mine.

Walked rapidly away

You and I enjoyed for a time a pleasant friendship. You have ended it. Will you please leave me? I do not care to walk with a stranger."

Carter's perplexed, angry eyes met her calm ones. Then he lifted his hat and walked rapidly away.

For several weeks the general assembly had been deadlocked over the election of a United States senator. There were ninety-three Republican members and eighty-eight Democratic ones. The Republicans had nominated Sherrill Vane. The Democratic candidate was James Brown. As the Republicans had a majority of five it was expected that their candidate would be elected on the first ballot. But when the Republicans met in caucus and chose their candidate, five of the younger members of the party rebelled, refused to support Sherrill Vane and demanded the election of George Allerton.

Allerton had never been affiliated with either party. He was the leading lawyer of the state, a man of incorruptible honor and national fame.

The five insurgents openly declared their hostility to Sherrill Vane, the Republican candidate, and announced that the deadlock would remain until George Allerton was elected. The leader of the insurgents was Doane Carter.

Around the insurgent band raged the political battle. The Republican party used every weapon and every strategy at their command to compel the five to support the party candidate. The Democrats fought as fiercely to win them for the Democratic candidate. Day after day for many weeks the ballot remained the same: Sherrill Vane, 88; James Brown, 88; George Allerton, 5.

One morning Katherine Vane sat in the gallery of the house of representatives. The balloting began. Amidst the wildest bedlam the old hall had ever held, George Allerton received the vote of the entire Democratic faction and of the insurgent band and was declared the successful candidate for the senate.

Katherine pushed her way through the crowd toward the elevator. A hand touched her arm. Doane Carter, the leader of the insurgent band, almost as great a hero in that hour as the man whose election he had secured, stood beside her. He drew her into a committee room and closed the door against a clamoring mob of admirers.

"You know now why I could not come to see you." His voice was cold. He spoke hurriedly as if in haste to dispose of an unpleasant topic. "Your uncle, it was known, was using every means to secure those five votes. The Democratic candidate was also doing his best to get them. Both men are grafters and bribers. We five stood out to elect a good man. I was made chairman of our band. Every act of mine was watched by the spies of each side. Had it been known that I was going to Benton, Sherrill Vane's home, to see his niece I should have been suspected of secretly favoring his candidacy. I could not have made any one understand that he and your father are bitter enemies because your father despises his political methods. My connection with his family would have made my men suspicious of my sincerity and they might have been won by one or the other faction.

"There was more at stake than a little glory for ourselves. We were fighting to compel the assembly to elect a great man instead of a boodler. Last night the Democratic leaders agreed, since they could not elect their candidate, to share with us the honor of electing Allerton.

"Now you understand my reason. When I refused to tell you and you refused to trust me, the candidates had not been nominated, and our plans to refuse to support Vane, if he should be nominated, were still secret. I could not in honor tell you the plans of my associates."

"I understand, Doane, and I am sorry—I can't tell you how sorry I am—how much I regret my unkindness. If you were to ask me again to trust you—"

"I shall not. Since I have been proved honorable you are willing to trust me. I have given you the explanation I promised you. I do not ask you to love me. What sort of wife would you be? A woman who would have no confidence in her husband, who would not believe his word of honor unless it was supported by affidavits." He opened the door to allow her to pass out. "Good morning," he said curtly.

In the rotunda she met her uncle, the defeated candidate. For the first time in her life he spoke to her.

"Doane Carter sold out for a price," he said deliberately. "His price was Allerton's daughter. He expects to marry her. She is the reason he formed an insurgent band and elected her father."

"That is not true." There was conviction in Katherine's voice. "He elected Mr. Allerton because he was a great man, an honor to the state and not a boodling politician. Doane Carter is a man whom no price can buy."

"Good for you," laughed Carter behind her. "I hurried after you," he went on when her uncle was out of hearing, "to ask you to forgive me for being such a brute and to love me if you can. I've loved you all the time, Kate, dear, but my pride had been awfully hurt by your lack of confidence in me."

"Lack of confidence? Did I not prove that my trust in you is absolute when Uncle Sherrill could not make me suspicious or jealous by saying you loved another woman? Have I not stood the perfect test? Aren't you sure now that I trust you and—and love you?"

PLAYED FOR HEAVIER TIPS

Neapolitan Waiter Had Shrewd Scheme to Coax More Money From Generous Tourists.

"I was in Naples when old Vesuvius broke loose the last time," said an American tourist, "and the waiter at the table at my hotel was certainly pleased at the size of the tips I handed him daily. He could speak pretty fair English, and for three or four days he gave me all the information he could. One day, however, when I handed him the usual coin he looked at it in a way to make me see that he was dissatisfied.

"'Anything wrong, Josa?' I asked.

"'Hasn't the service been good?' he queried in turn.

"'All that I could have hoped for.'

"'But I had looked for a little increase in the signor's generosity.'

"'Why, because the flow of lava has increased?'

"'No; because I had a brother in a village six miles away.'

"'Well?'

"'And the lava it overtakes him and his wife and five children and they go up what you call the spout, and I am put to expense to buy mourning for them.'

"The point seemed to be well taken," said the tourist, "and I doubled the tip, but later on, as I found all the other waiters playing the same game, I wasted no more tears on the family that went up the spout and came down well roasted."

Good Meal Won Husband.

Newspapers from Canton, Ohio, report a romantic wedding of a poor Norwegian cook to a local millionaire, Mr. Edward Langenbach. The cook, whose name is Rosa Jansen, won her husband through her skill in the culinary art. Mr. Langenbach engaged Miss Jansen as cook, and was so delighted with the first meal she prepared that he proposed to her on the spot. The new cook was considerably astonished, but accepted him with equal promptitude. The millionaire lost no time, but immediately took out a marriage license, and the ceremony was performed an hour after the satisfactory meal had been placed on his table.—Exchange.

WHOLE FAMILY DISAPPEARED

Edward Brown, His Wife, Two Children and Niece.

VISITED BROTHER AT FULTON

Went Out for Walk and Have Not Been Seen Nor Heard From Since —Came to Missouri From Illinois Recently.

Fulton, Mo., April 9.—The mysterious disappearance of an entire family is reported by James Y. Brown, who lives south of Fulton. The persons who disappeared are his brother, Edward Brown, Mrs. Brown, two children and a niece, Phoebe Brown.

Edward Brown and his family arrived here from Champaign, Ill., several weeks ago to visit James Brown, whom he had not seen since he was 15 years old. Edward Brown and his family and the niece went out, ostensibly to take a walk. A neighbor a short distance from the Brown home saw them passing her place, but that was the last seen of them.

No One Saw Them.

Diligent inquiry by James Brown among other persons in that vicinity has failed to find any one else who saw the five persons.

According to James Brown, his brother, Edward, showed great affection for his niece, Phoebe Brown, 18 years old, the daughter of another brother who lives in East St. Louis. A few days ago the father of Phoebe Brown wrote to James Brown, asking him to detain the daughter, but the letter came after Edward and his family had disappeared.

An 11-year-old daughter of Edward Brown is now at the home of her uncle, James Brown, as the latter prevailed upon the father to leave the girl here.

James Brown said he been advised by the neighbor who reported seeing Edward Brown, and his family shortly before their disappearance, that a two-year-old boy was being punished because he could not keep up with the rest in the heavy mud. James Brown fears that harm has come to the members of the family.

FRIENDLY SCUFFLE WAS FATAL

Young Kansan Dies in Hospital From Injuries Received in Wrestle With Friend.

Atchison, Kan., April 9.—Fred Thompson, 30 years old, who lived at Shannon, a small town in this county, died this morning in a hospital here as a result of fracture of the back received in a wrestling match with Russell Keithline. The men met in a store at Shannon Friday night and engaged in a friendly scuffle. Keithline threw Thompson to the floor so that he struck on his head and shoulders. Thompson left a widow and three children.

Lumbermen of Texas Convene.

Fort Worth, Tex., April 9.—From all over Texas lumbermen are here attending their annual convention, which opened this morning in the Westbrook hotel. B. W. Owens, chairman of the local executive committee, first introduced Mayor W. D. Davis, who welcomed the visitors on behalf of the city, while Paul Waples spoke for the lumbermen of Fort Worth. Responses were made by President J. E. Whiteselle and J. M. Rockwell, and the convention then got down to routine business. Special effort has been made to entertain the visiting ladies. This evening they will be given a theater party and automobile rides have been arranged for tomorrow and Thursday.

To Succeed "Bob" Taylor.

Nashville, Tenn., April 9.—Gov. Hooper announced the appointment of Newell Sanders of Chattanooga as United States senator to succeed the late Senator Robert L. Taylor.

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New York, April 9.—The Aero Club of America announces that with the co-operation of the Aero clubs of Illinois, Michigan, Milwaukee, Kansas City, St. Louis, Indiana, Cincinnati and Ohio, it is organizing an aeroplane circuit of 1,810 miles, which will be held next August and will be known as the great American circuit.

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Kansas Boy Drowned.

Waterville, Kan., April 9.—Three small boys were fishing on Blue river back of this city and Lawton Weaver, 10 years old, slipped over a high embankment where there was 15 feet of water with a swift current and was drowned. A searching party dragged the river but did not find the body.

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